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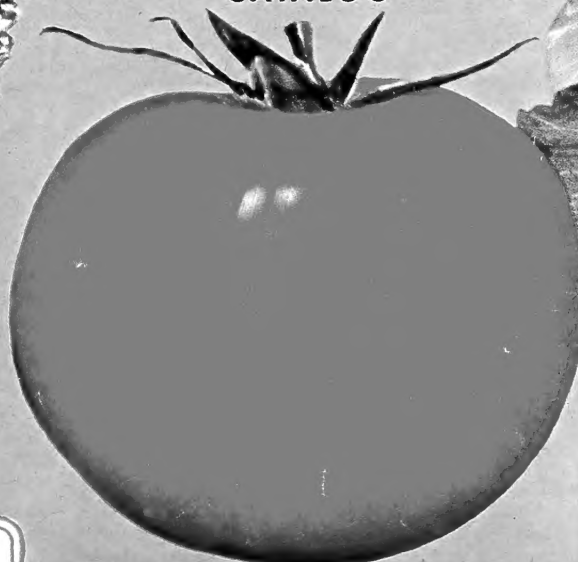
1952 COMPLETE GARDEN  
CATALOG



## Everblooming BUTTERFLY BUSH

**BUDDLEIA.** Perpetual blooming shrub, flowering without a break from early summer until frost. 4 to 6 ft.  
**ELEANOR.** Bright Eleanor Blue.  
**PINK DAWN.** Best true pink.  
**RED GLORY.** Rich, ruby-red.  
**ROYAL PURPLE.** Rich, glowing purple.  
**SNOWBANK.** A new white with large fully round sprays.

(50c each) (3 for \$1.25)  
(1 EACH OF 5 ABOVE \$1.95)



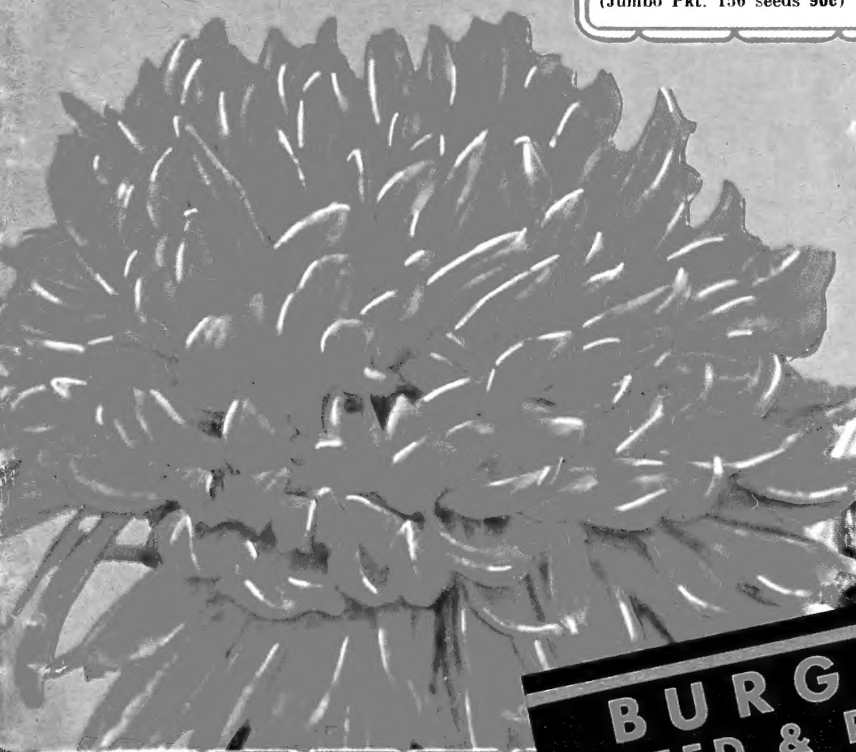
## Burgess' Early HYBRID A TOMATO

The amazing vigor of hybridization has combined two Burgess tomatoes to produce this outstanding new Hybrid. Thus, science has brought about EXTREME earliness, large size, uniformity and table excellence all in one fruit. Its firm, meaty, mild, deep-red fruits are a delight. (Pkt. 50 seeds 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 150 seeds 90c) (¼ oz. \$2.50).



## Burgess' BUSH BUTTERCUP

Now, at last, EVERYBODY can grow squash! Burgess' new Bush Buttercup takes up 3 feet of space instead of trailing. It produces 3 to 7 delicious Buttercup type fruit, 4 to 5 lbs. each, with thick, orange flesh of excellent flavor and texture, each just right for a meal. Absolutely New! (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).



## HARDY Super-Size GIANT "Florist-Like" MUMS

BIG ones, sometimes 6" across. Like the girls wear to the football games in the Fall.  
**GLADWYN.** Large Pink.  
**DRAGON LADY.** Fiery Chinese-Red.  
**AVALANCHE.** Giant White.  
**YELLOW AVALANCHE.** Giant yellow.

(50c each) (3 for \$1.35).  
1 each of 4 above only \$1.75, prepaid

**BURGESS  
SEED & PLANT  
COMPANY  
GALESBURG  
MICHIGAN**



## Sensational! RED RICH

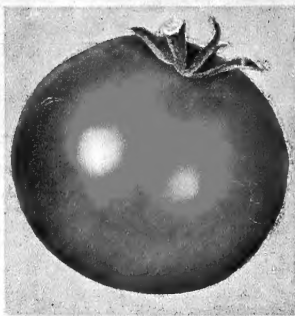
Sensational new HYBRID from Wayzata and Fairfax. All luscious eating qualities of Wayzata (very sweet), plus the firm dark red qualities of Fairfax. Strongest growing of all—disease resistant. This is the new Strawberry you've read so much about. Everyone says: "Best of all." (12 plants \$2.95) (25 for \$5.00) (50 for \$8.50) (100 for \$15.00) prepaid.





### BALLHEAD

Most popular of the winter cabbages. Fine grained, tender and crisp. Round heads average 6½ lbs. and are hard and solid. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.35).



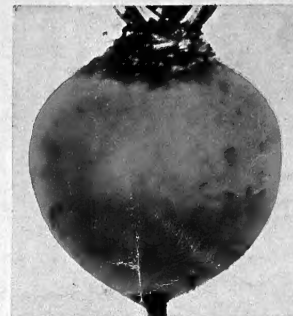
### VALIANT

70 days. Smooth, heavy, solid, fine quality, 7 oz. tomato. Early fruiting with light foliage habit. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c) (oz. \$1.10).



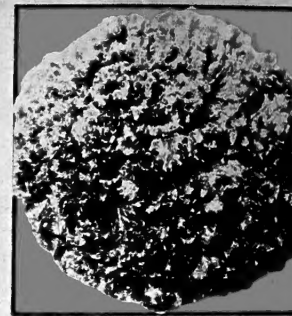
### Early CHATHAM

55 days. Such an early tomato it is especially suited to planting direct in ground. Rich red, medium size. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c).



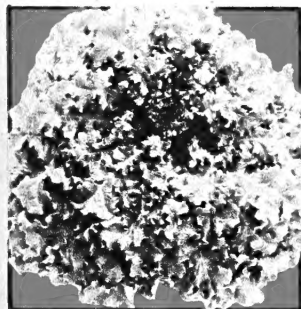
### Detroit DARK RED

SPECIAL STRAIN. This is an improved beet strain, a few days earlier, extra deep, dark red throughout and more uniform in shape and color. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.00).



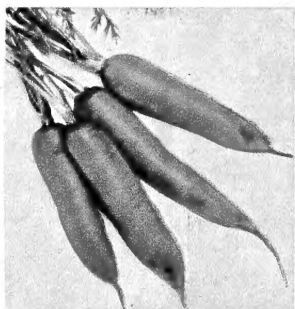
### PRIZEHEAD

Beefsteak Lettuce. Crisp, sweet, tender, brownish-red leaves formed in tightly folded heads. Meaty flavor captivates. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c).



### OAK LEAF

This lettuce forms a compact rosette somewhere between head and leaf. Early, tender, non-bitter, dark green. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 55c).



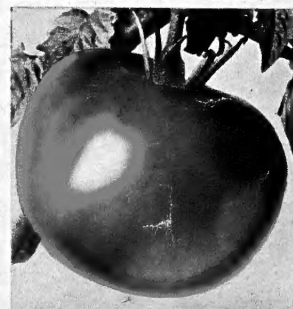
### IMPERATOR

An outstanding carrot 10" long, smooth and uniformly tapered to a semi-blunt end. Flesh rich orange color, extending through the center. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.25).



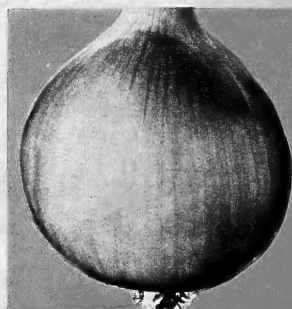
### MARION MARKET

WISCONSIN COPENHAGEN. This yellows-resistant strain of Copenhagen Market is larger and 10 days later than our ordinary strain. One of the best cabbages. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.50).



### RUTGERS

74 days. Wilt-Resistant tomato most widely known in main crop varieties. Bright red, smooth, thick walls. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 45c) (oz. 80c).



### MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE

A long-keeping Sweet Spanish Onion. Flesh is pure white, very fine grained, crisp, juicy and so mild and sweet it is best for eating raw. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.00).

## BURGESS *Sensational* PELLETED

### WHAT THEY SAY About "SUPER SEEDS"

Burgess' customers from all over the nation are singing the praises of Pelleted SUPER SEEDS. Here are some of the things they say:

Gentlemen: Your pelleted seeds are tops. Germination 100 per cent. Quality and flavor unsurpassed.—Frank L. Morley, Hendersonville, N. C.

Dear Sirs: The Pelleted Seeds I bought last year were wonderful—vegetables were larger, germination higher.—Mrs. Raymond Turnbull, Rt. 2, Toulon, Ill.

Gentlemen: Your Pelleted Super Seeds came up in three days in my electric hotbed.—Mrs. H. S. B., Cadillac, Mich.

Dear Burgess: This year for the first time I didn't have to break my back thinning carrots. What a wonderful thing Pelleted Seeds are. Mrs. J. B. W., Indianapolis, Ind.

Gentlemen: My Zinnias bloomed ten days before the neighbors'. Was I proud.—Mrs. W. C. W., Urbana, Ohio.

Gentlemen: The neighbors couldn't believe how I raised such early sweet corn.—L. R. N., Erie, Pa.

Try Pelleted SUPER SEEDS—you'll be singing their praises, too.

## Burgess' NEW "Miracle-Coating" Makes Gardening Easier—More Certain IT PROTECTS and NOURISHES SEED and SEEDLING PLANTS —GIVES YOU EARLIER, MORE UNIFORM CROPS—

Sweet corn on the 4th of July—Tomato seed planted safely in the ground in April—Zinnias in bloom 2 weeks earlier—Carrots you don't have to thin—these are some of the miracles being performed by thousands of Burgess gardeners throughout America.

They are using Burgess' PELLETED Vegetable and Flower SUPER SEEDS, "Miracle-Coated" with a new scientific treatment which protects and nourishes seed and seedling.

PELLETED SUPER SEEDS are "Miracle-Coated" with layers of nourishing and protective materials. NUTRIENTS to promote early growth. INSECTICIDES to protect from insects, worms, birds and rodents. HORMONES to stimulate early plant development when it is most important. FUNGICIDES to prevent "damping off" and other soil and seed-borne diseases.

PELLETED SUPER SEEDS are easy to plant because the coating makes them

big enough to handle. Good seeding means that little, if any, back-breaking thinning is necessary.

PELLETED SUPER SEEDS cut down on weeding because seedlings break through early, ahead of weeds.

PELLETED SUPER SEEDS eliminate root disturbance, because so little thinning is necessary.

PELLETED SUPER SEEDS increase germination in the soil, because their coating protects against wet and cold, and also maintains needed moisture under dry conditions.

All in all, as one of our customers writes: "They just can't help but grow."

We recommend them to you. They are a little higher priced, but more than worth the extra money.

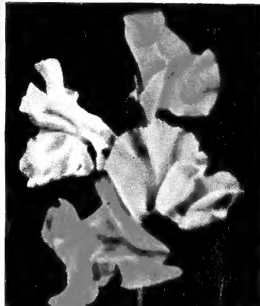
**NOTE:** All Pelleted SUPER SEED varieties are described in greater detail elsewhere in this catalog. These varieties can also be had unpelleted.





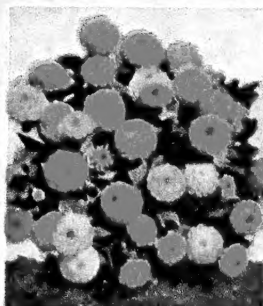
**Dahlia Flowered ZINNIAS**

Finest of all the Zinnia forms. Giant flowers in a range of colors from white through deepest crimson. Bloom all Summer. Fine for cut flowers. (Pkt. 25c).



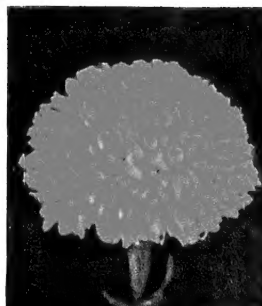
**Burgess' Special SWEET PEAS**

Always the most popular with Burgess' customers. A fine assortment of all the wonderful sweet pea colors. Long stems, fine for cutting. (Pkt. 25c).



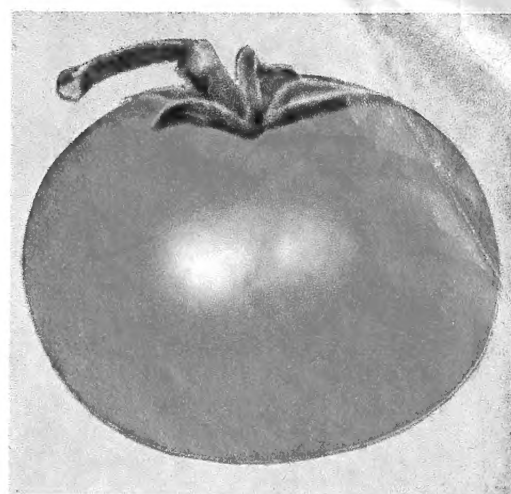
**Tom Thumb ZINNIAS**

4 to 6" plants covered with perfectly double flowers in a wide range of colors from deep to pastel shades. Best of all for the low border. (Pkt. 25c).



**Mission Giant MARIGOLDS**

Giant 4 to 5" blooms, forming a perfect ball on stems 18" long. A wonderful mixture of Marigold colors. From 8 to 12 stems. (Pkt. 25c).



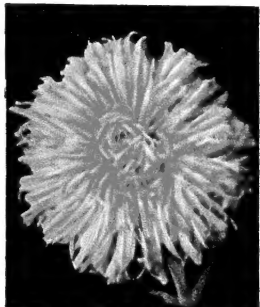
**TRIP-L-CROP Climbing TOMATO**

This is the famous Trip-L-Crop you have heard so much about, now in pelleted form. It produces "bushels" to the vine, will grow to 25' high. Has wonderful red, large fruits. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 85c) (oz. \$1.60).



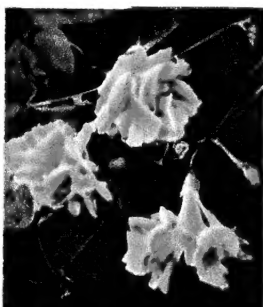
**Early Wonder ZINNIAS**

The cut flower Zinnia. It is basal branching and produces its blooms on 18 to 20" stems with no laterals. Fully double flowers 3 to 4" across. (Pkt. 25c).



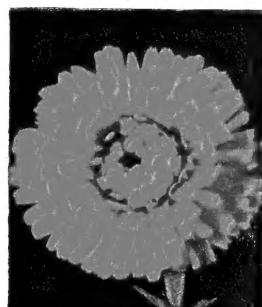
**Crego W. R. ASTERS**

Giant 4 to 5" flowers in a wonderful mixture of colors. These Wilt-Resistant beauties have feathery fluffy, fully-double flowers, curled & twisted. (Pkt. 25c).



**Rose Marie Double MORNING GLORY**

Blossoms resemble double-ruffled petunias. Deep rose-pink which blooms all summer long. A very novel addition to any garden. (Pkt. 25c).



**Special Mixture CALENDULAS**

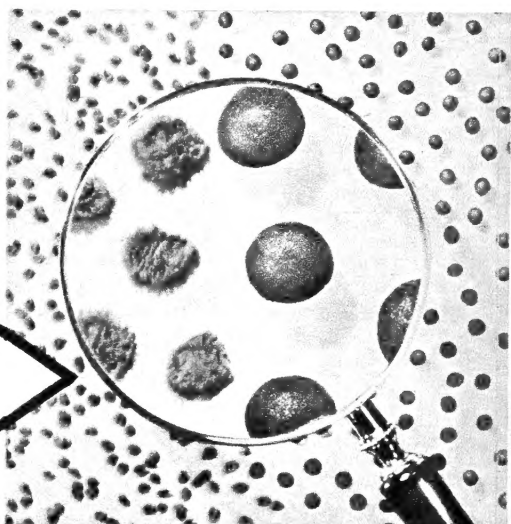
A fine assortment of all the colors and types of Calendula, including the famous Chrysanthemum-flowered type. A grand mixture. (Pkt. 25c).

**PELLETED FLOWER SEED COLLECTION**  
1 Each of 8 Flower Seed Packets Above Only \$1.75

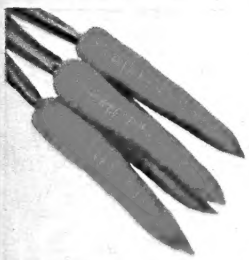
# SUPER SEEDS ANOTHER FIRST

We hope you don't mind our bragging a little. We're mighty proud to have been the FIRST to offer Pelleted flower and vegetable seed for sale. Our Research Department has spent eight busy years perfecting and testing the PELLETED SUPER SEEDS we offer on this page. Other varieties will be offered as their treatment is perfected.

**ALL VARIETIES OF PELLETED SEEDS LISTED HERE ARE MORE FULLY DESCRIBED ON OTHER PAGES OF THIS CATALOG**



Note the smooth "PROTECTED" appearance of these Pelleted tomato seeds, in contrast to unpeleted seeds.



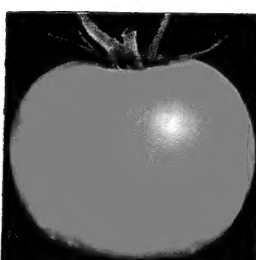
**TENDERSWEET**

Sweetest carrot of all. 10" roots only 2" broad. Deep orange with almost no core. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.50).



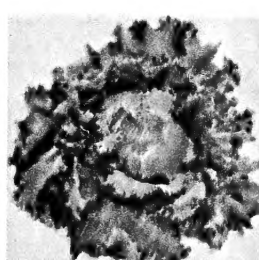
**MICHIGAN WONDER**

A Burgess pepper, most popular of all. Dark green, turning to crimson. Thickest flesh. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 70c) (oz. \$1.25).



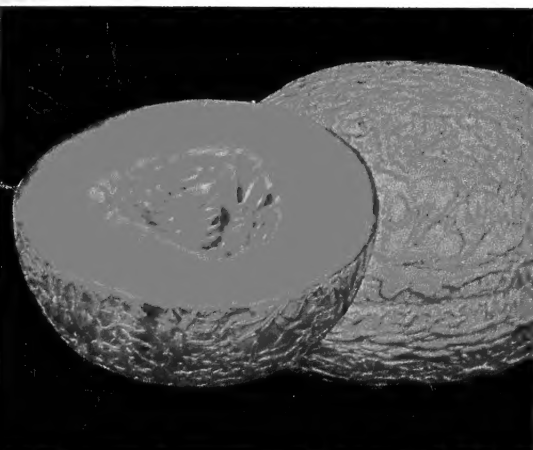
**CRACKPROOF**

74 days. New tomato that does not crack. Remarkable smooth, scarlet fruits. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.40).



**GREAT LAKES**

The head lettuce that heads everywhere—hot, cool or dry. Should be No. 1 in every garden. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c).



**◀ ROCK O'HONEY MUSKMELON**

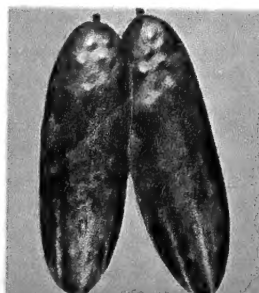
84 days. A Burgess melon much improved from old Honey Rock. Flesh is deeper and fruits heavier and more solid. Most productive of all. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.35) (lb. \$3.75).

**A & C CUCUMBER ▶**

68 days. Dark green and free from stripes. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$3.00).

**EARLY MICHIGAN**

54 days. Earliest slicing cucumber. Good for pickles, too. (Pkt. 20c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.20) (lb. \$3.50).



**3 BEST HYBRID CORNS**

Early, medium and late varieties for an "All-Season" sweet corn patch.

**SPANCROSS**—64 days to table. (Pkt. 20c) (½ pt. 50c) (pt. 90c).

**TENDERGOLD**—72 days to table. (Pkt. 20c) (½ pt. 45c) (pt. 85c).

**GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM**—80 days to table. (Pkt. 20c) (½ pt. 40c) (pt. 75c).

# HARDY Field-Grown VEGETABLE PLANTS

These strong, thrifty plants are grown in the open field in the South, where the climatic conditions are just suited for growing tough, hardy vegetable plants during the winter and early spring. The plants make a

slow but steady growth until they are in a toughened condition and are ready to be shipped to territory farther North for planting earlier than hot-bed or cold-frame plants.

## SPECIAL NOTICE!

Cabbage, Onion, Pepper, Tomato and Sweet Potato plants are sent direct from our growing station in Texas, so order at least 3 weeks before you want them. Because of distance, orders from Ore., Wash., and New England are accepted only at customer's risk.

Quarantine prevents our shipping vegetable plants to California.

"Frost Proof"

## CABBAGE PLANTS

Mature Heads 2 to 3 Weeks Earlier

Our Frost-Proof Cabbage plants will stand a temperature of 20° above zero, and can be planted a month earlier than home-grown plants.

**COPENHAGEN MARKET**  
**EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD**  
**GOLDEN ACRE**  
**LATE FLAT DUTCH**

Shipped Jan. 15 to June 1  
(Specify Variety Wanted)

## PEPPER PLANTS

You will do better with our earlier, better Pepper plants.

**CALIFORNIA WONDER**  
**CHINESE GIANT**  
**RUBY KING**

Shipped April 1 to June 1  
(Specify Variety Wanted)

## HEALTHY TOMATO PLANTS

Order more than  
one Variety



You will like the healthy, vigorous Tomato plants we ship, because they will take hold faster, and do better for you.

**EARLIANA**  
**MARGLOBE**

★ ★  
★ ★

**BONNY BEST**  
**RUTGERS**

Shipped March 15 to June 1. (Specify Variety Wanted)

(We cannot ship tomato plants to Mississippi)

See page 13 for Climbing TRIP-L-CROP plants.

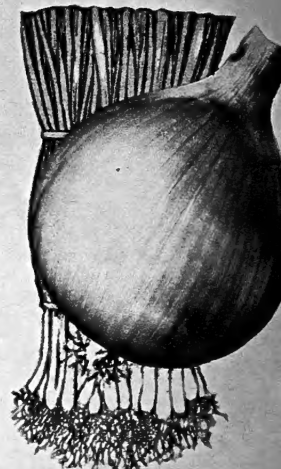
## HARDY ONION PLANTS

Earlier Onions  
Highest Market  
Prices

Our hardy Onion plants will give you green onions earlier, and large, mature onions about two weeks earlier than can be had from sets.

**Crystal Wax**  
**White Spanish**  
**Yellow Bermuda**  
**Yellow Spanish**

Shipped Jan. 15 to June 1  
(Specify Variety Wanted)



## SWEET POTATO PLANTS

Sweet Potatoes are easy to grow in the North by planting Burgess' healthy, hardy, disease-free plants. They should not be set out, however, until all danger from frost has passed. Please be sure to tell us when you want them shipped. (Sorry, we cannot ship Sweet Potato plants to New Mexico, because of quarantine restrictions.)

**NANCY HALL**  
**PORTO RICO (YAM)**  
**YELLOW JERSEY**

Shipped April 1 to June 1  
(Specify Variety Wanted)

## Burgess' LOW VEGETABLE PLANT PRICES

We can accept orders for plants ONLY in units below. For instance, we CANNOT accept orders for 25 or 75 plants, or units of 25, no matter how large the order.

### ALL PRICES PREPAID

No. of Plants	(50)	(100)	(200)	(500)	(1000)	(3000)
Cabbage.....	\$ .65	.90	\$1.50	\$2.50	\$4.00	\$10.00
Onion.....		.65	.90	2.00	3.20	7.25
Tomato.....	.70	1.00	1.65	3.00	4.50	10.75
Pepper.....	.75	1.25	2.00	3.50	5.75	14.00
Sweet Potato.....	.75	1.25	2.00	3.50	5.75	14.00

Read SPECIAL NOTICE before ordering.

## HORSE RADISH

Every garden should have a few plants of Horse Radish. Grown from sets or piece-roots. Set them vertically, small end down, and the large end one to three inches below the surface of the soil. Cultivate until tops cover the ground.

**BOHEMIAN GIANT.** An improved, mammoth-rooted variety of excellent quality. Piece-roots planted this spring will make good roots by fall. (10 for 65c) (25 for \$1.45) (50 for \$2.50) (100 for \$4.00) (500 for \$15.00) (1000 for \$25.00) prepaid.

## ASPARAGUS

A Good Source of Vitamin C. An ounce of seed will produce about 250 plants. 2 lbs. will produce enough roots to set an acre.

**MARY WASHINGTON (Rust-Resistant).** An excellent variety of Asparagus for either the home garden or market. A rapid growing sort, yielding thick, long, straight stalks, and when overgrown is perfectly tender. Practically immune to "rust" and other Asparagus diseases. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 75c) (lb. \$2.20) (5 lbs. \$8.50) prepaid.

**PARADISE (Rust-Resistant).** Similar to Mary Washington, but earlier, more productive and larger. Only 7 or 8 stalks required to the pound. Even though this variety is giant in size, it is crisp, tender and fine flavored. If you want only one variety this should be it. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.50) (lb. \$4.35) prepaid.

### ASPARAGUS PLANTS

We supply choice one-year-old plants, which is the age we recommend, for in addition to costing less than two-year-old plants, they come into bearing just as soon and are a more satisfactory size for transplanting. Asparagus plants should be set 18 inches apart.

**MARY WASHINGTON**—(25 for \$1.35) (50 for \$2.40) (100 for \$4.00) (250 for \$7.00) (500 for \$12.00) prepaid.

**PARADISE**—(25 for \$1.45) (50 for \$2.60) (100 for \$4.50) (250 for \$8.00) (500 for \$14.00) prepaid.

## GARLIC SETS

Hardy Perennial Garlic

Hungarian Garlic has the same uses as the Mexican Red Garlic or California White Garlic offered in most grocery stores, but is better suited to the average garden. The bulbs are of high quality and preferred by many to the more common sorts, even though they are a little smaller. The bulbs are perfectly winter-hardy in the North and may be dug from the garden as needed or stored for winter use. Unlike the other varieties they are grown from small sets produced atop the stem, like the Egyptian Multiplier Onions. Each package contains enough sets to plant 12 to 15 ft. of row. (25c per pkt.) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) prepaid.

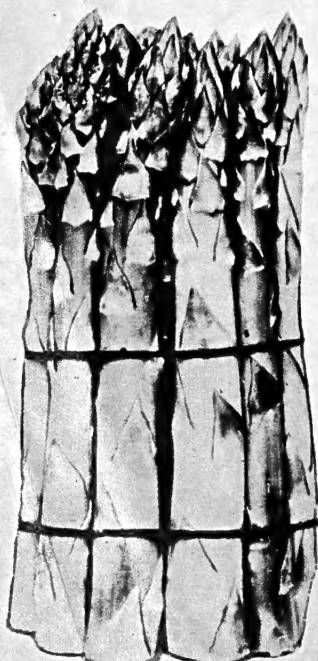
## CHIVES (Schnittlauch)

A hardy perennial onion-like plant. Highly esteemed for use as a salad, and for their small leaves which are produced very early in the spring and are used for giving a mild onion flavor to various dishes. Frequent cuttings may be made throughout the season, a new growth of leaves appearing soon after each cutting. A supply may be had all winter by potting a few plants and taking them inside before freezing. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.50) prepaid.

**PLANTS** (3 for 69c) (6 for \$1.25) (12 for \$2.25) prepaid.

## SAGE, HOLT'S MAMMOTH

Produces larger leaves and better quality than the common garden sage. It does not produce seed. Plants only—(50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.30) (12 for \$4.20) prepaid.



Mary Washington Asparagus



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These and many other questions are answered and explained in a simplified yet scientific and practical manner, to help you work in harmony with Nature for profitable results.

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"BURGESS' BLIZZARD BELT BRAND"

# SEEDS & PLANTS

"Best for All Climates"

Back of every order we ship are 39 years of plant breeding, research and improvement which have enabled us to produce superior pedigreed strains of vegetable and flower seeds that yield larger crops of better quality. Thousands of rich acres are required to grow the hardy Northern bred seeds, bulbs and plants sold by Burgess each year. The Burgess' Seed Breeding Station of 300 acres, located in the heart of the seed growing district near Galesburg, Michigan, is devoted to vegetable seed breeding and stock seed production, and may be said to be the cornerstone of a business based on quality of seed and confidence of satisfied users.

Burgess' Seed Breeding Station is under the direction of Gordon Morrison, nationally known horticulturist, and one of America's most skilled propagators. He and his vegetable seed breeding staff select for seed production those plants that approach perfection in terms of productiveness, hardiness, drought and disease resistance, attractive appearance, superior flavor and texture and nourishing value. Thousands of dollars are spent each year in keeping our seed stocks pure and producing our improved strains. This kind of plant breeding is costly, but is one very important means of insuring gardening success.

Burgess' Seeds are represented by resistant varieties which thrive in the presence of soil-borne diseases that destroy ordinary varieties in some gardening areas. As a further contribution toward the gardening success of tens of thousands of our grateful customers, we have devoted the skill of our technical staff and the use of our special equipment to the proper chemical treatment of most varieties of vegetable and flower seeds. This chemical treatment insures clean seeds for healthy gardens.

## Free Seed Treatment for Our Customers

Gardening success is known to be assured in large measure by proper chemical treatment of seeds before planting, to destroy germs borne upon the surface of the seeds.

These seed treatments are expensive and bothersome, particularly for beginning gardeners who lack knowledge of necessary treatments and how to employ them.

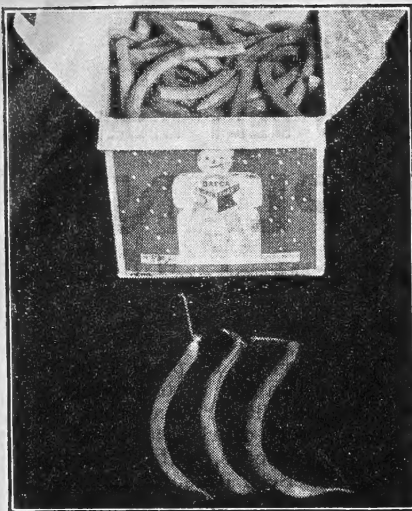
As a service, without added cost to our customers, we commenced the treatment, several years ago, of vegetable and flower varieties known to respond favorably. This has proven of such value to our customers, as expressed in the many letters we have received, that the service has been continued each year since that time, and despite the present high costs of suitable chemicals and the great amount of labor involved, we are giving this free service again this year as usual.

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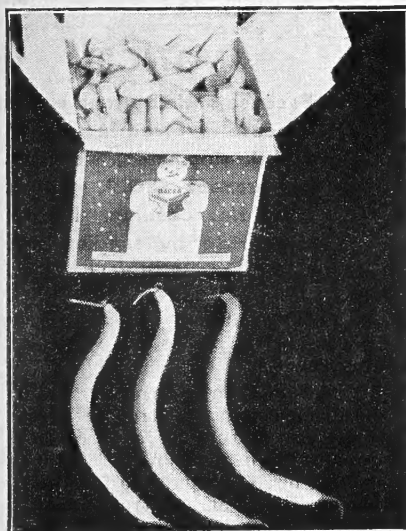
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We guarantee all seeds and plants to reach you in good growing condition, so it is hereby agreed that if any shipment is delayed or damaged in transit, you will be protected against loss. The life of a plant after it reaches the planter in good condition depends entirely upon conditions over which we have no control, so we cannot be held responsible if later the plant fails. A tree, shrub or other plant is a living organism, as much as a cow, horse or man. It breathes, drinks and feeds, and is subject to attacks of disease and insects. Even with Burgess' superior quality seeds and plants, success depends largely upon cultivation, soil and weather conditions. It is agreed that in no case shall the Burgess Seed & Plant Co. be liable for more than the original purchase price. (Your original papers must be returned with any request for change or adjustment in your order.)





Small Tendergreen Beans  
Ready for Quick Freezing



Golden Wax Beans  
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## EDIBLE SOY BEAN

**BANSEI.** Delicious when eaten green or dry, and superior to navy beans for baking. The food value is very high; the starch content low. About four times the protein content of eggs, and twice the protein and twelve times the fat of navy beans. Superior to spinach in available iron, and calcium content about 60% greater than cow's milk. They are also an excellent source of Vitamins A, B, and G. Bansei is one of the earliest (ready to pick in 90 days), and is very productive. Resistant to drought, disease and insects. Seed is bright green while young and yellow when mature.

## Chestnut or Garbanzo Bean

This chestnut-flavored bean is one of the most delicious grown. Grows in bush form to a height of 18" and completely covered with pods. For soup and turkey stuffing it cannot be surpassed.

# BEANS

## DWARF GREEN-PODDED

One Pint of Seed for 100 Feet of Row—  
60 LBS. Per Acre

### Stringless Green Pod

52 days. Our strain of Stringless Green Pod is extra choice and more productive than the older strains. Extensively used for home and market gardens. The dark green pods are round, 6½" long, stringless, and of good quality.

### Tendergreen

53 days. This handsome, delicious, fine-flavored snap bean has become the standard of excellence among the early round-pod varieties for home and market gardens, as well as for freezing and canning either whole or cut. The dark green pods are round, slender, stringless, 6" long and of the finest quality.

### Dwarf Horticultural

53 days. An all-purpose bean. Stringless snap beans very early; large attractive green shell beans about 60 days. 5-inch pods, splashed with carmine at maturity; seeds light buff, spotted red.

### Topcrop—Gold Medal Winner

49 days. An All-America Gold Medal Winner for the home garden. Long, round, very attractive medium light green, straight and very tender and meaty. Very productive, resistant to mosaic and one of the earliest. Good for canning and freezing.

### Bountiful

47 days. Earliest. Extremely productive and known to yield 1 bu. of pods per 15' of row. Excellent for home garden; most popular bean for shipping fresh. The light green pods are 7" long, broad, flat and of delicious flavor.

### Contender

54 days. A new dark green, 6" bean resistant to common mosaic and powdery mildew. Good for home garden, market and shipping. Round and long with buff and lightly mottled seed.

## DWARF WAX-PODDED

One Pint of Seed for 100 Feet of Row—  
60 LBS. Per Acre

### Golden Wax

50 days. Our strain is more productive than the older types. Golden Wax is widely planted for market, freezing and home gardens and is the best of the flat-podded wax varieties. The pale yellow pods are 5¼" long, stringless, tender and of fine flavor.

### Brittle Wax or Round Pod Kidney Wax

55 days. Finest quality of the wax varieties. Highly recommended for freezing and canning. The round, golden-yellow pods are 6" long, stringless, free from fiber and of mild, delicious flavor.

### Pencil Pod Black Wax

53 days. The leading round-podded wax variety. The round, deep-yellow pods are 6" long, stringless and tender. This productive variety is suitable for freezing and canning.

### Cherokee

51 days. Straight, oval-shaped pods 6" long which turn yellow early. Thick, crisp, tender flesh of fine flavor and free from strings. Black-seeded.

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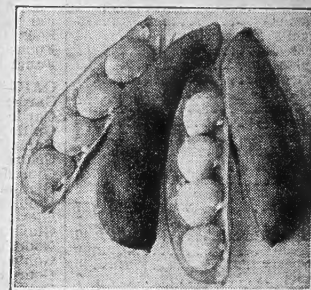
## BUSH LIMA BEANS

One Pint of Lima Beans Plants 100 Feet of Row

### Triumph Bush

#### Dwarf and Compact

75 days. The beans are of the thick, mealy Fordhook type, but are the size of Henderson's. Plants are dwarf and compact and hold their pods high up in the foliage. The pods are borne in clusters and are 2½" to 3" long, most of them containing four thick, light green beans. Extra fine for freezing and canning because of the bright green color. Highly recommended for market and home gardens due to its appearance and fine eating quality.



Triumph Bush Lima

## BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH

75 days. This home and market garden variety is the largest of the Bush Limas. Most pods contain 4 large, flat, pale-green beans. Suitable for freezing.

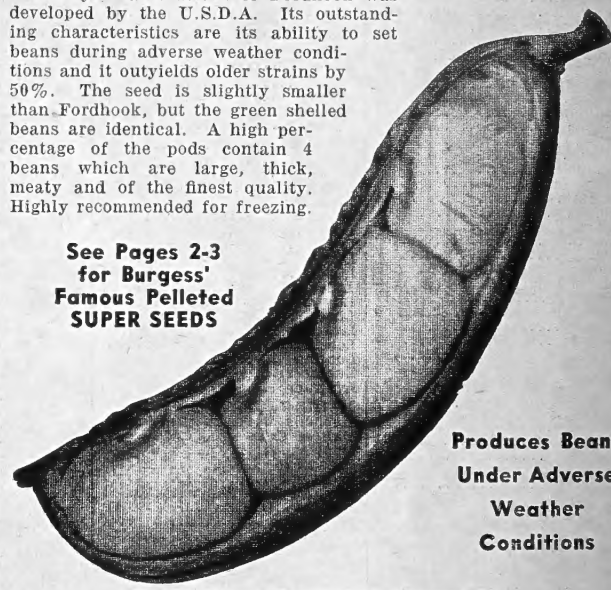
## HENDERSON'S IMPROVED BUSH

65 days. The earliest and most productive Lima. Will produce an abundant crop under a wider range of weather and soil conditions than any other variety. Pods contain 3 to 4 small oval beans of the finest quality. Excellent for freezing and canning.

## FORDHOOK NO. 242

75 days. This strain of Fordhook was developed by the U.S.D.A. Its outstanding characteristics are its ability to set beans during adverse weather conditions and it outyields older strains by 50%. The seed is slightly smaller than Fordhook, but the green shelled beans are identical. A high percentage of the pods contain 4 beans which are large, thick, meaty and of the finest quality. Highly recommended for freezing.

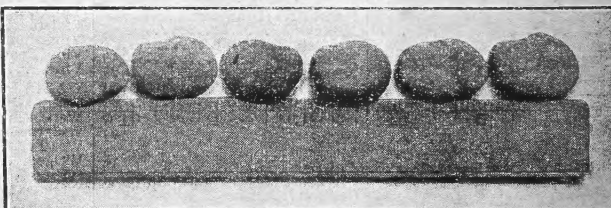
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SUPER SEEDS



Produces Beans  
Under Adverse  
Weather  
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## "Frostproof" BROAD BEAN

Survived 24° On Our Michigan Seed Farms



Six Broad Beans laid beside a 6-inch ruler to show the size of the dry beans.

This bean is highly esteemed in Europe. It differs from American types of beans in that it should be planted early. We plant them here in Michigan as soon in the spring as the ground becomes workable, sometimes in March. Plants are hardy and not sensitive to cold.

The beans are as large as the largest Lima Bean, and nearly the same shape. Botanically, it belongs to the bean family, but the flavor is more like that of the pea, which accounts for it sometimes being called the Lima Pea.

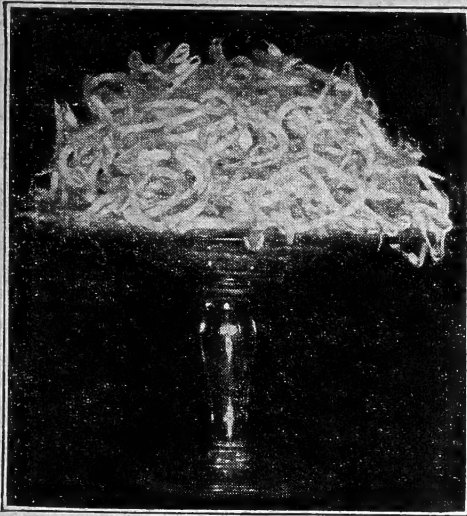
The plant is a bush of upright growth, about 2½ feet high, with strong, sturdy stalks. Pods 7 inches long and 1¼ inches wide, flat and straight. Each holds 5 to 7 mammoth size beans. It is wonderfully productive and is delicious cooked either fresh or as a winter shell bean.

## PRICES

## ALL PRICES PREPAID

	Packet	½ Pint	Pint	Quart	5 Lbs.	Price per lb. for 10 lbs. or more
Bountiful.....	\$0.10	\$0.33	\$0.60	\$1.02	\$2.45	\$0.46
Brittle Wax.....	.15	.35	.64	1.10	2.65	.49
Broad or Frost-proof.....	.15	.36	.66	1.14	2.65	.49
Burpee's Improved Bush Lima.....	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Contender.....	.15	.38	.70	1.22	3.00	.55
Cherokee Wax.....	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Chestnut or Garbanzo.....	.15	.36	.66	1.14	2.65	.49
Dwarf Horticultural.....	.15	.39	.72	1.26		
Edible Soy Bean Bansei.....	.10	.27	.48	.78	1.90	.34
Fordhook Bush Lima No. 242.....	.15	.35	.64	1.10	2.55	.48
Golden Wax.....	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Henderson's Bush Lima.....	.15	.32	.58	.98	2.30	.42
Pencil Pod Black Wax.....	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Stringless Green Pod.....	.10	.32	.58	.98	2.30	.42
Tendergreen.....	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Topcrop.....	.15	.36	.66	1.14	2.65	.49
Triumph Bush Lima.....	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47





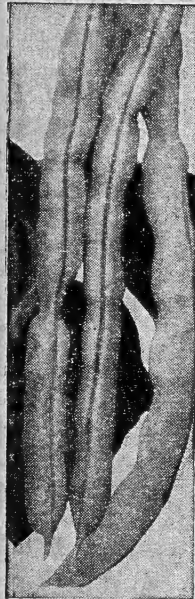
Bean Sprouts Like These in 5 Days

## CHINESE SALAD or MUNG BEAN

### Chinese Bean Sprouts Are an All-the-Year-Around Salad

A delicious bean that is used for bean sprouts and served in chop suey and salads in the finest Oriental Cafes. Chinese Bean Sprouts are an all-the-year-around salad. Enough for a good sized family can be grown in a small dish or pan in the kitchen in only 3 to 5 days. Grows without soil, sunshine or chemicals of any kind. This bean is unexcelled for soups.

## POLE OR CLIMBING BEANS



Kentucky Wonder

### One Pint of Seed for 100 Poles KENTUCKY WONDER

65 days. The finest flavored snap bean grown. The silvery-green pods grow 8½" to 9" long and are so fleshy they are often greater in thickness than width. They are solid, meaty and very crisp. They commence bearing exceedingly early for a pole or climbing sort, and if pods are gathered as they mature the vines will continue to bear until killed by the fall frosts.

### KENTUCKY WONDER WAX

68 days. An ideal pole wax bean for all localities. Similar in habit of growth to the green podded Kentucky Wonder. The 8" yellow pods are so fleshy that often the thickness surpasses the width. Of most delicious quality, a heavy yielder and bears a long season.

### WHITE-SEEDED KENTUCKY WONDER

(Burger's Stringless). 65 days. One of the most desirable of the pole beans. It combines attractive appearance with productiveness, and for quality it is unsurpassed. Straight, round, dark green pods, 7 to 8 inches long, fleshy, entirely stringless, fiberless, and tender. The beans, being white, are also fine for winter use.



Yard Long

### YARD LONG BEAN

70 days. An excellent variety, as well as an interesting curiosity. Vines are rampant growers and produce an enormous crop of long, slender, round pods which are of excellent quality for snap beans when young. The round pods have the thickness of a lead pencil and sometimes grow to a length of 3 ft. Very productive, tender and of fine flavor.

### SCARLET RUNNER

A fine ornamental vine, bearing large sprays of bright scarlet pea-like flowers and an abundance of edible beans. Used both for shell and snap beans.

## POLE LIMA BEANS

**KING OF THE GARDEN.** 88 days. A vigorous grower, requiring but two vines to each pole. Begins flowering early, at the bottom of the pole, producing a continuous bloom and fruitage throughout the season. Pods are large and beans are of excellent quality, well-formed and mammoth in size. One pint of this variety will plant about 50 poles.

**SIEVA ("Butter Bean").** 75 days. A climbing variety similar to Henderson's Bush Lima. Begins bearing very early and continues to produce until frost; very productive; excellent quality. Should be extensively grown because of its hardness, earliness and long bearing season. One pint of this variety will plant about 125 poles.

## INOCULATE BEANS FOR BEST RESULTS

Inoculating bean seed hastens maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Nitragin Inoculator for Beans only, bushel size, inoculates up to 60 lbs. seed, 35c, postpaid.

**Garden Culture.** Good for Beans, Peas, Sweet Peas and Lupinus. Supplied in Garden Size Only. (Sufficient for 6 lbs. of seed), 15c, postpaid.

**We are proud of the seed and plants we sell and we guarantee them—(see page 5).**

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King of the Garden Lima	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Scarlet Runner	.15	.36	.66	1.14		
Sieva Lima ("Butter Bean")	.10	.32	.58	.98	2.30	.42
White-Seeded Kentucky Wonder	.15	.34	.62	1.06	2.50	.47
Yard Long	.20	.45	.85			

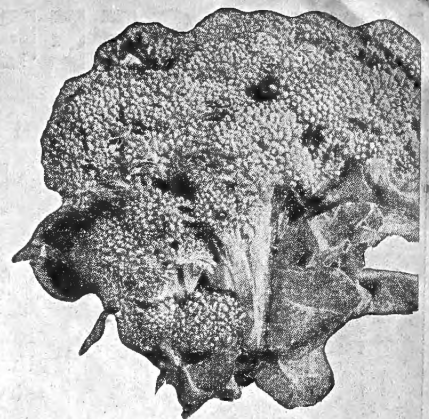
## BROCCOLI

One ounce will produce about 2,000 plants  
**ONE OF THE BEST SOURCES OF VITAMIN A, FAIR AMOUNTS OF C, B<sub>1</sub>, G, CALCIUM AND IRON**

There are two distinct types of Broccoli. One is similar to Cauliflower. Mammoth White is the most popular of this type. The other type is called Sprouting Broccoli; the stems and flower buds are eaten and it is cooked and served much as Asparagus.

**EARLY SPROUTING CALABRESE.** A delicious variety, having the combined flavor of Cauliflower and Asparagus. Simply sow the seed in the open ground in the spring and transplant the plants when large enough. The heads or sprouts, when ready to use, are deep green. After the central head is removed, the plant produces numerous branch heads which are fully as desirable as the first head produced. A continuous supply may be had for a long time from a few plants. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.20) (lb. \$3.40) prepaid.

**MAMMOTH WHITE.** Hardier and more easily grown than Cauliflower, but cultivated and used in the same way. Heads of large size, creamy-white; delicate flavor. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.35) (¼ lb. \$4.00) prepaid.



Early Sprouting Calabrese Broccoli

## CORN SALAD (Hardy Winter Salad)

Leaves served like lettuce during the cool fall and early winter months. It is used also for garnishing meat dishes in the same manner as parsley, and can be cooked like spinach. The seed should be sown thinly in drills during August or September to supply fresh leaves during the cool fall and winter months. It is quite hardy, but in the Northern States, after cool weather sets in, it should be protected by a thin mulch of straw or leaves. One ounce will plant 40 feet of row. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.10) (lb. \$3.00) prepaid.

## COLLARDS

### Non-Heading Cabbage

One ounce of seed will produce 3,000 plants  
**GEORGIA.** A form of loose-headed cabbage that succeeds in localities where other cabbages cannot be grown to perfection. In the South it continues to grow all winter. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.35) prepaid.



Witloof Chicory

## WITLOOF CHICORY (FRENCH ENDIVE) An All-Season Crop

A delicious salad, served like lettuce. Sow seed in the open in spring or early summer. You can top the roots in fall, set them out in boxes of sand in cellar and have fresh, crisp, home-grown salad all winter. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 55c) (¼ lb. \$1.65) (lb. \$4.00) prepaid.

## CELERIAC

### Turnip Rooted Celery

**GIANT PRAGUE.** A popular vegetable in Europe. Instead of producing long leaf stalks like ordinary celery, it has a globe-shaped, turnip-like root with true celery flavor, and is greatly liked by nearly all who have tried it. Excellent for salads and flavoring, or cooked like parsnips, turnips or oyster plant. Roots are fit to use when about 2 inches in diameter. Will keep all winter like beets and carrots if packed in moist earth or sand. (Pkt. 10c) (½ oz. 40c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.25) (lb. \$6.75) prepaid.



Celeriac

## CHICORY One ounce to 200 feet of row.

**ASPARAGUS CHICORY.** A healthful and tasty Asparagus-flavored vegetable. The sprouts of this plant when cut fresh and boiled in salt water are served either hot or cold. It can also be blanched and eaten raw the same as celery. The tender sprouts are produced in abundance and may be cut several times in a season, as new shoots appear after each cutting. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 40c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.25) (lb. \$5.75) prepaid.

## MAGDEBURG or COFFEE CHICORY.

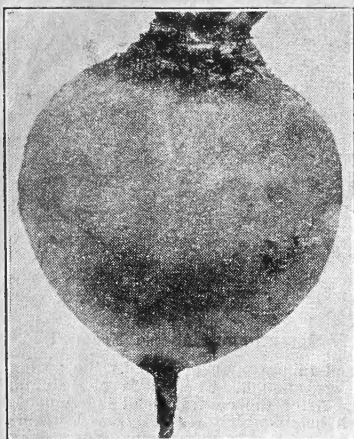
This variety is grown primarily for its root crop, although the young leaves are fine for salad. The large roots, when roasted and ground, make a delicious drink, and have been extensively used as an adulterant and substitute for coffee. The roots are valuable as **RABBIT FEED** for which purpose we sell a large quantity of seed. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.50) (lb. \$3.75) prepaid.

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# BEET SEED

One Ounce of Seed to 100 Feet of Row



## The Best Beet Grown DETROIT DARK RED (Special Strain)

58 days. This is an improved strain of Detroit Dark Red Beet which is a few days earlier, extra deep dark red throughout and more uniform in shape and color than our standard strain. It is of the very best quality and unequalled for either home garden or market, and without doubt the most valuable variety of beet offered.

## CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN

58 days. An extra early variety for home and market use. The skin is very smooth and bright red; flesh vermillion, very sweet and tender.

## DETROIT DARK RED (STANDARD STRAIN)

60 days. The leading main-crop variety. The color is deep blood-red with indistinct lighter red zones. The roots are globe-shaped, smooth and uniform, with small tap root. Free from woodiness until the beets attain their full size.

## BABY BALL

The Perfect Little Canning and Table Beet

62 days. A beautiful beet for early spring, summer and fall use. Unsurpassed for canning and pickling whole because of its small size, uniform shape (nearly round), excellent quality, smoothness and beautiful deep crimson color.

## EARLY WONDER BEET

57 days. Our market gardeners' strain of this variety is valuable to market growers as a first early variety. It is so uniform in growth that the entire crop can be lifted at one time. Tops small, roots flattened, globe-shaped with small tap root. Flesh deep purplish-red with little zoning.



Spinach Beet

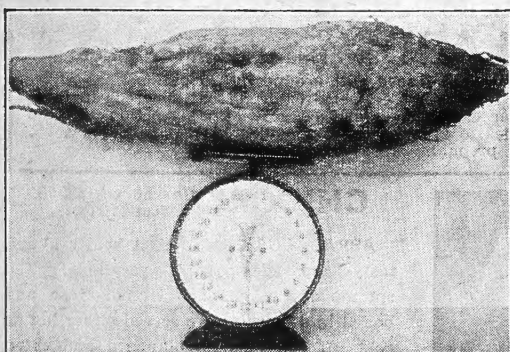
## SPINACH BEET or Swiss Chard

**GIANT LUCULLUS.** 60 days. Grown for its large, tender leaves and leaf stalks. Leaves grow to a length of 2 to 2½ feet; stalks are nearly as thick and broad as Rhubarb and never get tough. By picking off the large outside leaves, as wanted, more continue to grow and keep right on growing until killed by severe frost in the fall. The whole leaf can be used for greens, or the leaf stalks can be cooked like asparagus. Also extensively used as a green feed for poultry.

## Beet Seeds Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Baby Ball.....	\$0.15	\$0.30	\$0.85	\$2.35	\$ 9.25
Crosby's Egyptian.....	.10	.22	.60	1.75	6.75
Detroit Dark Red (Special Strain)....	.15	.32	.90	2.50	10.00
Detroit Dark Red (Standard Strain)...	.10	.22	.60	1.75	6.75
Early Wonder.....	.10	.22	.60	1.75	6.75
Spinach Beet, Giant Lucullus.....	.10	.20	.55	1.60	6.50

## SUGARBEET or MANGEL



Mammoth Long Red Mangel Wurzel

One ounce of seed to 100 feet of row;  
5 or 6 lbs. per acre

Yields of 25 to 35 tons per acre are common, and as high as 75 to 80 tons have been reported. A healthful and nutritious food greatly relished by all kinds of livestock. Will keep cattle in perfect physical condition and increase the flow of milk. As a feed for poultry, during the winter months, they are very valuable and always increase egg production.

The seed should be sown thinly in rows 2 to 3 feet apart, and when plants are about 3 inches high thin out to stand 8 to 10 inches apart in the row. Harvest before frost and store in pits outdoors or in a dry, frost-proof cellar.

## MAMMOTH LONG RED

The largest and the heaviest cropper of all Mangels. The roots are frequently 2 feet or more in length, one-half to two-thirds above the surface and easily harvested. Skin bright red; flesh white, veined pink. An excellent keeper.

## GIANT HALF SUGAR

An early variety of Mangel and a favorite with many dairymen. Flesh white, sugary and of high nutritive value. Yields a tremendous crop.

## GOLDEN TANKARD

A rapidly maturing Mangel, adapted to shallow lands, although doing well on every soil. An immense yielder. Flesh yellow. Easily harvested; excellent keeper.

## KLEIN WANZLEBEN

The leading variety of sugar beet. Is high in sugar content and an enormous yielder. It is also highly recommended for stock feeding.

ANY OF THE ABOVE VARIETIES OF MANGELS AND SUGAR BEET: (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.45) (5 lbs. \$5.75) prepaid.

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS

1 Oz. of Seed  
Makes  
2500  
Plants



A variety of the Cabbage family, possessing the peculiarity of bearing upon its stem or stalk from 50 to 100 small, compact round heads. Plants are very hardy, are not injured but improved by hard frosts, and are left in the garden or field during the early winter until wanted.

**LONG ISLAND IMPROVED.** A choice variety grown extensively by market gardeners. Plants are 20" tall, and are well filled, nearly the entire length of the stalk, with solid sprouts measuring 1¼ to 1½ inches in diameter. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.75) (lb. \$5.00) prepaid.

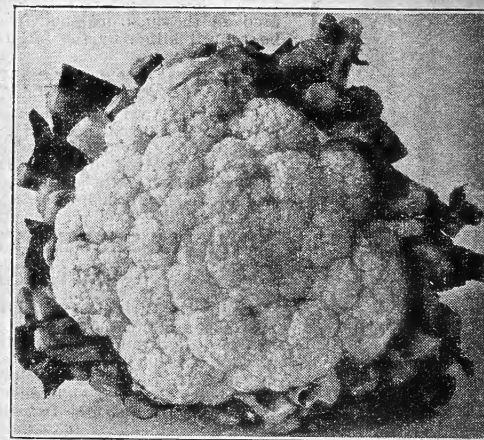


Chinese  
Chokurei

## POULTRY CABBAGE

**CHINESE CHOKUREI.** A wonderful green feed for poultry known to yield 3 tons in 40x60 feet. In the North seed can be sown from early spring until the middle of July. In the South throughout the year, or from July to September for main crop. Sow in rows 24" apart, allowing 2" between the seed. Commence feeding when 4" high, pulling out alternate plants. Continue thinning until plants are about 1' apart. These should make heads of 5 to 7 lbs. in 70 days and may be fed immediately or allowed to stay in ground until cold weather. These heads may be fed whole as they are very tender and 100 per cent edible. Chopping is not required even for young chickens. Will not discolor the yolks of eggs when fed to laying hens. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 90c) (lb. \$2.70) (5 lbs. \$12.50).

## CAULIFLOWER



Early Snowball Cauliflower

## (Disease-Treated Seed)

One Ounce for 3,000 Plants

**EARLY SNOWBALL.** Our strain of Early Snowball is extra select and the earliest Cauliflower grown. A very reliable heading variety with rich, snow-white, close, compact heads of the best quality, and usually weighing about 2 lbs. each. (Pkt. 20c) (¼ oz. 75c) (½ oz. \$1.35) (oz. \$2.35) (¼ lb. \$7.00) (lb. \$20.00) prepaid.

**DRY WEATHER, or DANISH GIANT.** Our strain of this variety is especially selected to produce self-protecting leaves which protect the heads from the sun and makes tying unnecessary. Our strain will stand more adverse weather conditions than any other variety and it may be grown in hot, dry districts where others fail. Large creamy-white heads weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each and about 10 days later than Early Snowball. (Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 85c) (½ oz. \$1.50) (oz. \$2.50) (¼ lb. \$7.50) (lb. \$22.00) prepaid.

## CRESS (High in Iron)

**EXTRA CURLED (Pepper Grass).** Grows rapidly, being ready for use in 30 to 40 days after seed is planted. Fine for salads, garnishing and as a green in sandwiches. Has an agreeable pungent taste. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 90c) prepaid.

**UPLAND.** 60 days. Same flavor as Water Cress. Grows on high, dry land. An easily grown hardy perennial that remains for several years without replanting. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.25) prepaid.

**WATER CRESS.** 50 days. A hardy plant which will thrive well only when the roots are submerged in water. Can be easily grown in springs or along the edges of shallow running streams. One of the most delicious of all small salad plants. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20) prepaid.



# CABBAGE SEED

TREATED AGAINST SEED-BORNE DISEASE

1 Oz. of seed for 3,000 plants—1/4 lb. per acre

## Lightning Express→

70 days. A fine early with pointed heads, a little smaller than Jersey Wakefield. A sure header, solid and firm, with few outer leaves, making it easy to plant close.

## Early Jersey Wakefield

The standard extra early cabbage—62 days—and very productive. Heads weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each, conical or pointed, solid and of very best quality. Makes a compact growth, with few outer leaves, which permits close planting.

## Popular COPENHAGEN MARKET

70 days. One of the most valuable varieties for the home garden and one of the most profitable for market gardeners. With the exception of Golden Acre, it is the earliest round-headed cabbage. When ready for cutting, Copenhagen Market is the heaviest of the extra-early varieties and is as good, in its class, as the old favorite Danish Ballhead. The stem is short; the head is round and solid, averaging 5 pounds or more, and uniform in shape and size. A vigorous grower and an excellent keeper. The heads all mature at one time, and will stand well without bursting.

## PERFECTION DRUMHEAD SAVOY

90 days. The Savoy excels all other cabbages in flavor. The crumpled leaves are more tender, milder, sweeter, have less of a cabbage odor, and the vitamin content is higher than in the smooth-leaved varieties. Heads weigh 5 to 6 lbs. and are almost round.

## ← CHINESE CABBAGE—for Salads

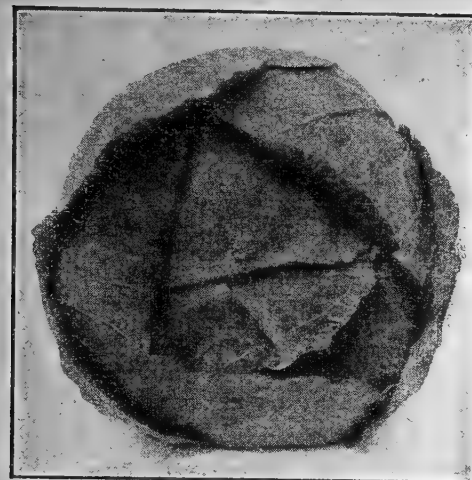
A most delicious vegetable which combines the rich celery flavor with that of the cabbage. Can be cooked or eaten raw like celery. Makes as good salad as the finest head lettuce. The mid-ribs can be cooked like asparagus, and for cole slaw no other cabbage compares with it. It is extremely productive, easily grown and unexcelled for fall to early winter use from seed sown directly in the garden in mid-summer.

## CHIH LI (Improved Peking)

This is the earliest, the surest header, and withstands heat better than other strains of Chinese Cabbage. Heads are 18 to 20 inches in length and 3 1/2 to 4 inches thick; solid, white, very crisp and tender, and of best quality.

### Cabbage Seed Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Chinese Chihli	\$0.10	\$0.27	\$0.75	\$2.20	\$10.00
Copenhagen Market	.10	.35	1.00	3.00	14.00
Danish Ballhead	.10	.40	1.15	3.25	15.00
Early Jersey Wakefield	.10	.30	.90	2.70	12.50
Golden Acre	.15	.40	1.15	3.25	15.00
Jumbo	.15	.65	1.80	5.00	
Lightning Express	.15	.40	1.15	3.25	15.00
Mammoth Red Rock	.15	.50	1.40	4.00	
Perfection Drumhead Savoy	.10	.40	1.15	3.25	
Poultry	.10	.30	.90	2.70	12.50
Yellows-Resistant Golden Acre	.15	.50	1.40	4.00	18.75
Yellows-Resistant Marion Market	.15	.40	1.15	3.25	15.00
Yellows-Resistant Racine Market	.15	.55	1.55	4.45	20.75
Yellows-Resistant Wisconsin Golden Acre	.15	.75	2.15	6.25	29.75
Yellows-Resistant Wisconsin Hollander	.15	.50	1.40	4.00	18.75



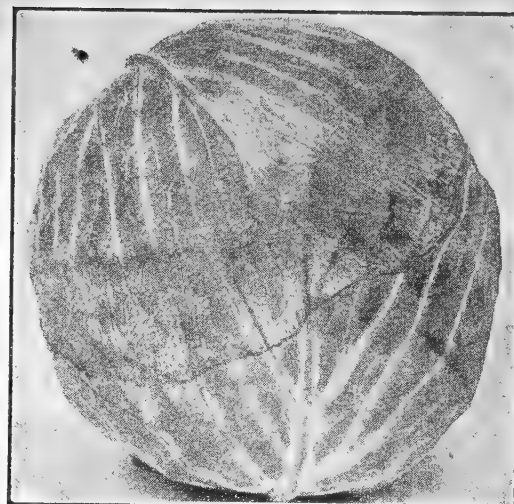
## JUMBO or Large Late Drumhead

107 days. Only a week later than Danish Ballhead and the largest cabbage grown. On good soil very few heads will weigh less than 12 lbs. Heads flat, rounded at top; very solid; sure to head; excellent keeper.



## GOLDEN ACRE

62 days. (Special Strain). Heads hard and solid, about 4 lbs., and 6 to 7" in diameter. Stand well without bursting and may be shipped long distances. Plants are small and compact, with few outer leaves. Suitable for late planting as well as early.



Danish Ballhead

## DANISH BALLHEAD

100 days. The most popular cabbage for winter. It is fine grained, tender and crisp. The round heads average 6 1/2 lbs. and are so hard and solid that they will weigh one-fourth more than other varieties of equal size, and will stand shipping better than other sorts. It is not necessary to dispose of the crop in the fall if market prices are not satisfactory. The crop can be stored just as safely as potatoes and they will be just as solid in the spring as when put away in the fall.

## MAMMOTH RED ROCK

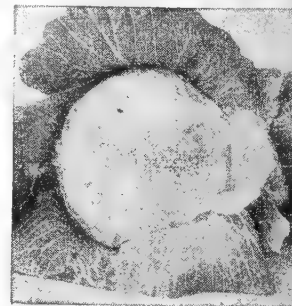
95 days. Largest and best red cabbage. The solid round heads are red throughout. Sure cropper; used extensively for salads and relishes.

## YELLOWS-RESISTANT CABBAGE

Cabbage Yellows is a disease that is soil-borne, and is not, therefore, controlled by seed treatment. We, however, treat our Yellows-Resistant varieties against seed-borne diseases for double security. If there is any danger of the Yellows disease, by all means plant these strains.

## RACINE MARKET

68 days. Early and uniform, 7" round, solid heads. Good quality. Similar to Copenhagen Market, but resistant.



Racine Market

## YELLOWS-RESISTANT GOLDEN ACRE

64 days. Highly resistant to Yellows; otherwise the same as Golden Acre

**Marion Market** 80 days. (Wisconsin Copenhagen). This Yellows-Resistant strain of Copenhagen Market is larger and 10 days later than our ordinary strain.

## WISCONSIN HOLLANDER Yellows-Resistant Ballhead

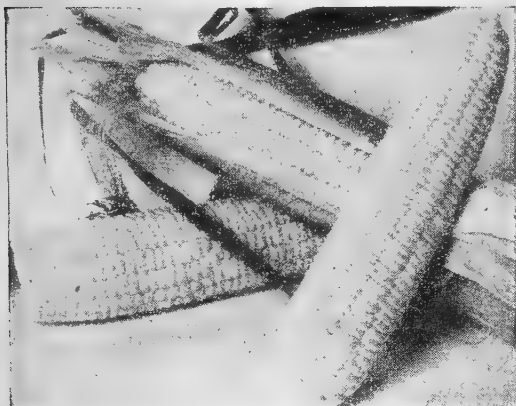
110 days. (Yellows-Resistant Ballhead). Disease-proof variety of the Danish Ballhead type. In addition to its ability to resist Yellows, has all the good qualities of the old Danish Ballhead, and will weigh 1 1/2 lbs. more.

## WISCONSIN GOLDEN ACRE

60 days. (The Earliest Cabbage). A fine, round resistant strain of Golden Acre. Finest for the home garden.

# HYBRID SWEET CORN

The Hybrids are superior to open-pollinated varieties. They are more vigorous, uniform and productive and have better quality.

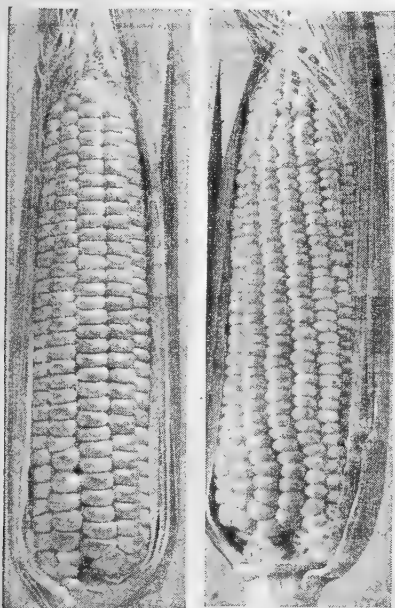


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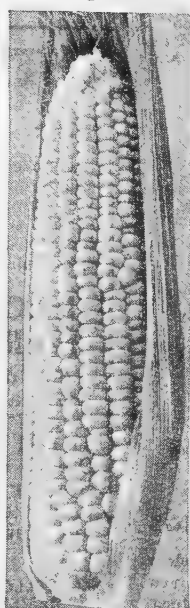
## Aristogold Bantam EVERGREEN

87 days to table. Ears are 16 to 18 rowed, 9 to 10 inches long, with clean stalks 8 to 9 feet tall. It has yielded as much as ten tons of snapped ears per acre under favorable conditions and is resistant to ear worm, smut, and hot weather. Don't let the size mislead you, as the corn is strictly first class, and compares in tenderness and flavor with the smaller varieties.

## 3 BEST HYBRIDS—Early—Midseason—Late



Spancross



Tendergold



G. Cross Bantam

## IOANA

84 days to table. The main crop variety for canning and the market garden. A luscious tempting yellow, with medium depth, narrow, tender and juicy kernels. A standard of excellence the country over.

## IOCHIEF

### The Drought Tolerant Corn

89 days to table. One of the most highly productive of the new hybrids, with longer ears and a superior flavor. This main crop sweet corn is ideal for canning and market. Its golden, deep and uniform rows of kernels make it one of the most attractive, as well as delicious. Keeps in edible condition longer during hot weather than any other.

## STOWELL'S HYBRID

100 days to table. Here is the leading white sweet corn for home and market in hybrid form. A highest quality late variety with white, medium wide but deep kernels of good quality and delicious sweetness.

## Medium Early MARCROSS

75 days to table. (Photo above.) One of the earlier hybrids that is very popular with market growers and home gardeners. A wilt-resistant type, it makes fine quality ears, with light creamy-yellow, deep and uniform kernels.

## SPANCROSS

64 days to table. Very early hybrid highly resistant to bacterial wilt. So hardy and cold resistant it may be planted earlier than most. 5 ft. tall. Ears are 6½ in. long, slender and well filled, with 10 to 12 straight rows of delicious golden-yellow kernels.

## TENDERGOLD

72 days to table. A cross of Purdue Bantam and Golden Sunshine. Highly resistant to bacterial wilt or Stewart's Disease. Stalks sturdy and bear attractive, 7½-in. ears with 12 to 16 straight full rows of tender, sweet, golden-yellow kernels. A superb variety for home gardens, and commercial canning.

## GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM

80 days to table. Superb for home gardens. Attractive uniform ears of top quality, and high yields. Plants large and thrifty, often produce 2 to 3 ears. Ears 8 in. long and filled compactly with 10 to 14 straight rows of tender, sweet, delicious kernels.

"ALL-SEASON" COLLECTIONS: (1 PKT. of each above, 40c) (½ Pt. of each, \$1.10) (Pt. of each, \$2.00) (Qt. of each, \$3.50).

# Open Pollinated SWEET CORN

Carefully Bred Northern Seed Unexcelled for Earliness and Dependability.

One pint for 300 hills: 8 to 10 lbs. per acre, with exception of Country Gentleman, which requires only ½ as much seed.

## Early Saskatchewan

### The Earliest White Sweet Corn

62 days. Quality superior to that of most varieties of extra early Corn; extremely hardy; can be planted early, withstanding cold, wet weather to a wonderful degree. Ears 6 to 7 inches long; 8 rowed; kernels pure white, sweet and tender.

## Country Gentleman

95 days. The standard of excellence in late white. Dependably productive and best in extremes of heat and drought. Plants very large, often bear two or more large ears; yields heavy tonnage of forage. Ears about 8" long. Kernels white, sweet and tender; very long, slender, shoe-peg shape; closely packed in irregular rows.

## Stowell's Evergreen

98 days. We have a fine strain of this standard late variety and it is recognized everywhere as the best type of its class. The large ears are 9" long with 16 rows of deep, white kernels. It is hardy, productive, sweet and tender, and remains a long time in cooking condition.

## Burgess' Earliest Golden

62 days. 10 to 12 days earlier than Golden Bantam, hardy and can stand early planting. A wonderful yielder when planted on good soils. Market gardeners will find no equal among the yellow corns for extremely early planting. Plan on planting some of this variety and be the first to have yellow corn in your locality. Ears 6 to 7 inches long, with 12 rows of tender golden kernels.

## Barden's Wonder Bantam

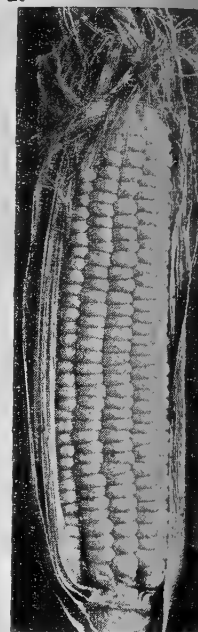
84 days. A cross between Golden Bantam and Early Wonder, with all the qualities and sweetness of the old reliable Golden Bantam, but with larger ears. Ears 8 to 10 inches long, filled with 8 rows of broad, rich, golden yellow kernels. Stalks 5 to 6 feet high.

## Golden Evergreen

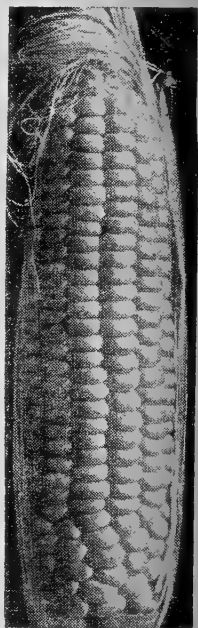
90 days. Best late yellow variety. A cross between Stowell's Evergreen and Golden Bantam, possessing all the splendid qualities of both. Same color as Golden Bantam, with an added sweetness and superior flavor. Ears 8" long, with 12 to 14 rows of kernels.

## Golden Bantam

75 days. Popular early Sweet Corn; sweet, rich and delicious. Ears 6 to 7 inches long, with 8 rows of kernels which are of a creamy-yellow color. It is suited for extra early and later plantings.



Burgess' Earliest Golden



Golden Evergreen

## 2 "New and Unusual" SWEET CORNS

### Aunt Mary's

Aunt Mary's is matchless in every respect. It grows stronger, has a better flavor, is more tender and stays in the roasting ear longer than any corn known—besides being sweeter. That's what they say about it. It ripens over a long period, giving you time to pick or can it. Large plants, most with two big ears with straight rows and deep tender white kernels.

### Golden Midget

Its tiny 4" ears are the sweetest and earliest of all. Truly amazing flavor. 30" plants mature in 60 days. Midget size, wonderful for canning and freezing whole.

## How to Grow Sweet Corn Without Ear Worms



A treatment for control of Corn Ear Worms. Bottle contains applicator from which 4 to 10 drops, depending on size of ear, are inserted in the top of the ear. Treatment should be made after corn silk has turned brown, a sign of complete pollination. 2-oz. bottle is sufficient for treating 100 ears. (50c each).

## ALL PRICES PREPAID

PRICES	Pkt.	½ Pt.	Pt.	Qt.	5 Lbs.	Price per lb. for 10 lbs. or more
Aunt Marys.....	\$0.25	\$0.60	\$1.00	\$1.80		
Barden's Wonder Bantam.....	.10	.30	.54	.90	\$2.20	\$0.40
Burgess' Earliest Golden.....	.15	.31	.56	.94	2.20	.40
Country Gentleman.....	.10	.29	.52	.86	2.10	.38
Early Saskatchewan.....	.15	.31	.56	.94	2.20	.40
Golden Bantam.....	.10	.27	.48	.78	1.90	.34
Golden Evergreen.....	.10	.28	.50	.82	2.00	.36
Golden Midget.....	.25	.60	1.00	1.80		
Stowell's Evergreen.....	.10	.28	.50	.82	2.00	.36
Aristogold (Hybrid).....	.15	.41	.76	1.34	3.00	.56
Golden Cross Bantam (Hybrid).....	.15	.35	.64	1.10	2.60	.48
Ioana (Hybrid).....	.15	.37	.68	1.18	2.70	.50
Iochief (Hybrid).....	.15	.40	.74	1.30	2.90	.54
Marcross (Hybrid).....	.15	.36	.66	1.14	2.65	.49
Spancross (Hybrid).....	.15	.41	.76	1.34	3.00	.56
Stowell's (Hybrid).....	.15	.37	.68	1.18	2.70	.50
Tendergold (Hybrid).....	.15	.37	.68	1.18	2.70	.50
Australian Hulless.....	.10	.29	.52	.86	2.10	.38
Black Beauty.....	.15	.31	.56	.94	2.20	.40
Pop South American Giant.....	.10	.28	.50	.82	2.00	.36
Hybrid Australian.....						
Hulless.....	.20	.46	.86	1.54	3.50	.66
Hybrid South American Giant.....	.20	.45	.84	1.50	3.40	.64

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# Grow Your Own POPCORN

Plant 5 to 6 lbs. per Acre.  
Hybrids Produce Bigger Yields and  
Greater Popping Volume.

## Australian Hulless

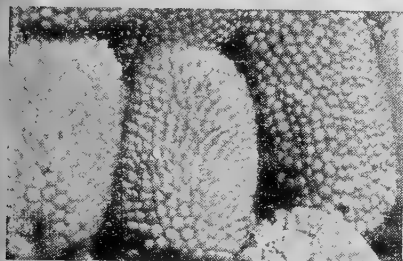
85 days. Also known as Tom Thumb and Bumble Bee. A heavy yielder of little short ears, nearly as thick as long. Its crowning merit is its popping quality, fine flavor and absence of hull or shell.

## South American Giant

95 days. The kernels are deep orange in color, extra large and smooth. When popped, they are larger than any other standard variety and are of a rich creamy yellow color. The flavor is truly delicious. The stalks grow 6 to 8 feet tall and produce two and often three large ears which are 9 inches or more in length.

## Black Beauty

82 days. Ripens earlier than any other variety, yet the ears are large in size and the yield is as heavy as that of any of the later sorts. Pops large and is finest flavored. Although the kernels are black, they show up nice and white when popped.



Hybrid Australian Hulless

## Hybrid Australian Hulless

Here is the last word in Pop Corn, far surpassing standard Australian Hulless in yield and popping expansion. Records show 16% greater yield per acre. Its most amazing feature is apparent when the corn is popped, for it expands to a surprising volume (measuring 29% more than ordinary Australian Hulless).

## Hybrid South American Giant

Pops larger, more tender and better flavored kernels than the Standard South American Giant. When popped, the kernels are creamy-white and are nearly hullless.

Only about 10 days later than our Australian Hulless, but can be planted earlier as it is cold resistant. The long roots go deep into the soil and will withstand drought and high winds better than any other variety.

# BURGESS LETTUCE

One ounce of seed to 400 feet of row; 3 pounds to the acre.



Oak Leaf Lettuce

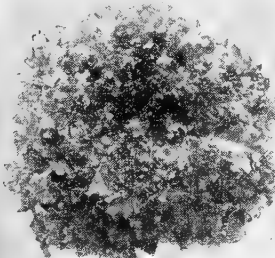
## LEAF LETTUCE

### BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON

42 days. A popular curled or loose-leaved sort for early outdoor planting. Used extensively by market gardeners.

### EARLY CURLED SIMPSON or SILESIA

42 days. (White seeded.) A very early, hardy and dependable loose-leaved sort. Especially popular for home gardens. Plants large, compact, light lustrous green; leaves broad, frilled, firm, crisp, sweet and of good quality.



## SALAD BOWL

1952 All-America Selection

All the judges recommended this new lettuce. It's a loose-leaf variety with rich green leaves that make the prettiest salad. It stands sun better than Oakleaf and is a faster and larger grower. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c)

### GRAND RAPIDS

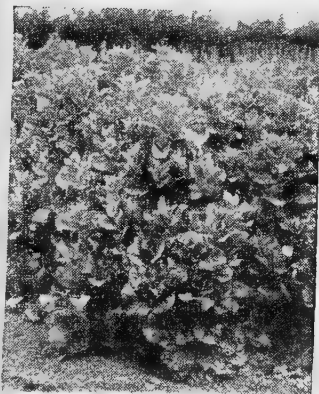
43 days. The best loose-leaved sort for forcing under glass and an excellent variety for outdoor planting.

### OAK LEAF

38 days. Oak Leaf is neither a head lettuce nor a true leaf lettuce since it forms a compact deep rosette of small thick leaves that provide the good features of both types. It is earlier than other varieties, and the tender, deep green leaves have the superb butter-type flavor. Plants are still in prime condition until 12 to 14 in. across and weigh up to one-half pound. Will not become bitter in hot weather.

## Burgess' Lettuce Bargain

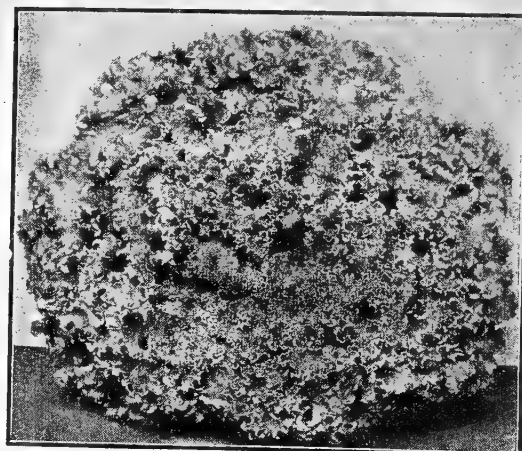
1 Pkt. Great Lakes 1 Pkt. Oak Leaf  
1 Pkt. Black Seeded Simpson  
All 3 Packets Only 35c Prepaid



## CHICKEN OR RABBIT LETTUCE

Feed All Spring and Summer

The best green feed for chickens and rabbits. In this variety you will find a feed that yields as much or more than other green feeds. It is economical to grow, for when cut it resumes its growth rapidly and can be cut again and again; or the leaves can be pulled off each stem like the Jersey Kale. The yield is extremely heavy. Chicken or Rabbit Lettuce is too coarse for a table variety. Grows 3 to 4 feet high and just loaded with large leaves. Large enough to commence feeding in 40 to 45 days.



Prize Head Lettuce

## HEAD LETTUCE

### New York, Los Angeles or Wonderful

80 days. This popular head lettuce furnishes fine, crisp lettuce during the hot summer months. The largest variety grown, often producing heads weighing 2 to 3 pounds each, nearly as solid as a cabbage, and inside leaves blanched to beautiful creamy-white. Stands shipping well and remains in good condition longer than other sorts.

### Iceberg

82 days. An easily grown Lettuce of the crisphead type; no other variety surpasses it in quality. The heads are of medium size, firm and hard, exceedingly crisp, juicy, sweet and tender, with heart leaves blanched to almost white.

### Prize Head

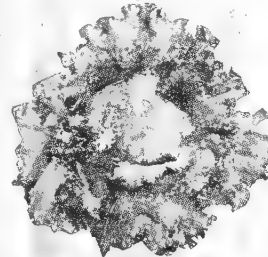
(BEEFSTEAK) 45 days. One of the best varieties for the home garden. Does not form tightly folded heads, but makes a compact bunch of leaves. The large, crimped leaves are highly colored brownish-red; crisp, sweet, exceedingly tender; and it stands a long time without going to seed.

## GREAT LAKES

Most Outstanding of All Home Garden Head Lettuces

Early Strain. 80 days. This variety is slow to bolt and has the ability to head under the most adverse conditions.

It is tipburn resistant with large well-folded protecting leaves. Great Lakes is of the Imperial type developed by the USDA and Michigan Experiment Station and is one of the leading shipping varieties. It produces large solid heads; crisp and tender. Unquestionably the finest head lettuce for the home garden. It is such a sure header under almost any conditions, that no garden should be without it.



### BIG BOSTON

75 days. The best head lettuce for forcing under glass, and one of the best for outdoor planting. Produces medium size, solid heads, of excellent quality; sure to head.

## COS or ROMANE LETTUCE

### Paris White.

65 days. The earliest and best of the Cos type lettuce. The plants are erect growth, forming elongated heads of crisp leaves. It does not need tying in order to blanch the heart, but larger, firmer heads may be had by tying. The outer leaves are medium green and the inner leaves bleach to snowy white. Always sweet and tender and does not become bitter during hot weather. The young leaves may be eaten as leaf lettuce.



### Lettuce Seed Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Big Boston.....	\$0.10	\$0.30	\$0.80	\$2.25
Black Seeded Simpson.....	.10	.25	.70	1.95
Chicken or Rabbit.....	.10	.25	.70	1.95
Cos, Paris White.....	.10	.28	.75	2.10
Early Curled Simpson.....	.10	.25	.70	1.95
Grand Rapids.....	.10	.25	.70	1.95
Great Lakes, 1/2 oz., 40c..	.15	.70	2.00	5.50
Iceberg.....	.15	.35	.95	2.75
N.Y., L.A. or Wonderful..	.15	.40	1.10	3.20
Oak Leaf.....	.15	.40	1.10	3.20
Prize Head (Beefsteak)....	.10	.28	.75	2.10
Salad Bowl.....	.25	(Jumbo Pkt. 60c)		

Burgess Seed & Plant Co., Galesburg, Michigan



# TOMATOES

1 Oz. of Seed Makes 2,000 Plants  
Days Indicated Are from Plant Setting to Picking

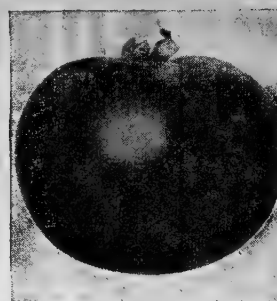
Tomato seed growing is one of our specialties. Climatic conditions here in Michigan are conducive to freedom from disease, to the production of fruit instead of vine and to early maturity. Our strains keep these tendencies when planted elsewhere. Our seed is also chemically treated against disease.

When growing early tomatoes, or in areas of short growing season, start seed in hotbeds or indoors about 6 weeks before the last killing frost in the spring. When earliness is not important, early varieties may be seeded directly in the garden 2 weeks before the last killing frost.



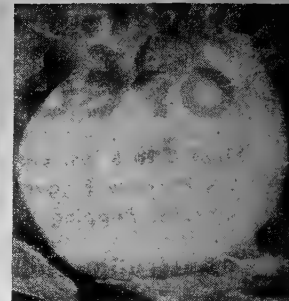
**RUTGER'S**  
(Wilt-Resistant)

74 days. A main crop Tomato developed at the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station. Produces a large plant with an abundance of foliage to protect the fruit from sunscald. The fruits are medium to large, similar in shape to Marglobe, but more flattened at the stem end; bright red, smooth, with thick walls and small seed cells. Ability to ripen from the inside out, leaving the interior free from fiber, makes Rutgers an outstanding variety for canning, juice and catsup. The leading variety for green-wrap shipping.



**MARGLOBE**  
(Wilt-Resistant)

75 days. A main-crop variety for home and market gardeners, as well as for shippers and canners. Our stock is a special strain. The deep scarlet fruits are uniformly globe-shaped, smooth, solid, and average 6½ ounces. It ripens evenly from inside out to a uniform scarlet. One of the most widely grown of all tomatoes.



**LOUISIANA**  
"All-Season"

70 days. This new tomato is notable as a large-fruited variety that sets fruit well under severe summer conditions in the South which prevent ordinary varieties from yielding satisfactory crops. It is medium early, and long bearing. Large thrifty plants provide ample foliage protection against sun scald. Fruits large, globular (flattened globe) good deep pink, meaty and well flavored.



Break O'Day

## BREAK O'DAY

(Wilt-Resistant)

68 days. Used extensively for early market where Fusarium Wilt is present in the soil. The orange-red fruits are globe-shaped, and average 6 oz. It is a good yielder and continues to bear throughout the entire season.

## PONDEROSA

One of Biggest and Mildest

88 days. One of the mildest and finest tomatoes. Similar to Beefsteak, only the fruits are a little flatter and larger. They will average 10 oz. and are of purplish-pink color.



## BONNY BEST

(Early Strain)

68 days. Our select Early Strain of Bonny Best is the finest on the market, being earlier, larger and more productive than Standard Strains. The smooth, scarlet fruit is practically free from cracks and of fine flavor. Fruits average 5 ounces and are about a week later than our Earliana.

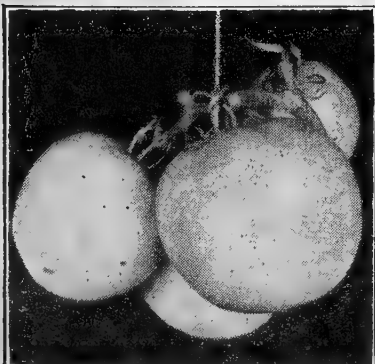
## WILT-RESISTANT STONE

Bright Red Fruits

84 days. If you are bothered with wilt in your locality, you will be interested in this wilt-resistant strain of the old reliable Stone. The bright red fruits are flattened, globe-shaped and average 6½ oz. Extensively used for canning and market where Fusarium Wilt is present in the soil.

## EARLIANA (Early Strain)

62 days. Our select Early Strain is without question the choicest stock of Earliana on the market. It is earlier, more productive and more uniform than other strains of Earliana. Market and home gardeners will find nothing better for an early, medium-sized, bright-red Tomato. Fruits flattened, globe-shaped and average 5 ounces.



Jubilee

## JUBILEE

(Golden-Orange)

80 days. Jubilee has the quality of the red and pink varieties. The large upright plants yield abundantly. Fruits are large, globular and meaty. They are slightly drier than standard varieties and are most attractive when sliced in combination with red and pink fruits.



White Beauty

## WHITE BEAUTY THE ANTI-ACID TOMATO

84 days. The White Beauty Tomato is ivory-white in color and the flesh is almost paper white. It is of large size and of excellent quality for slicing, canning and juice. Extremely mild, containing less acid than other tomatoes, so can be eaten by thousands of people who have heretofore avoided Tomatoes on account of the acidity.

## PRITCHARD

72 days. This main-crop variety is very productive and fine for home and market garden, shipping and canning. The light scarlet fruits are globe-shaped, average 5½ oz., have thick walls and are of milder flavor than Marglobe.



Tiny Tim Growing in a Tub

## TINY TIM

The Window-Box Tomato  
(Ripens 45 Days from Plant Setting)

Dwarf and compact, growing to a height of 6 to 8 in. and only about 14 in. across. It is the earliest of all tomatoes and is loaded with clusters of bright red fruit that are nearly round and are ¾ to 1 in. across. Even though the fruits are small, they are fine flavored and will give you ripe tomatoes before other home-grown varieties are available. Very colorful when potted or planted in window boxes. The fruits cling to the stems well and are ornamental as well as useful in salads or for preserving.

## JUNE PINK

Earliest Pink Tomato

64 days. The earliest pink variety. The same size and shape as Earliana, only the fruit is pink and of milder flavor.

### Tomato Seed Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Pkt.	Jumbo Pkt.	½ oz.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Bonny Best (Early Strain)	\$0.10	\$0.25	\$0.35	\$0.60	\$1.70	\$4.80
Break O'Day (Wilt Resistant)	.10	.25	.40	.70	2.00	5.70
Earliana (Early Strain)	.10	.25	.45	.80	2.30	6.60
Jubilee	.15	.35	.55	1.00	2.90	8.40
June Pink	.10	.25	.45	.80	2.30	6.60
Louisiana All Season	.15	.35	.45	.80	2.30	6.60
Marglobe (Wilt-Resistant)	.10	.25	.35	.60	1.70	4.80
Ponderosa	.15	.35	.60	1.10	3.20	9.30
Pritchard	.10	.25	.35	.60	1.70	4.80
Rutger's (Wilt-Resistant)	.10	.25	.35	.60	1.70	4.80
Stone (Wilt-Resistant)	.10	.25	.35	.60	1.70	4.80
Tiny Tim	.25	.60	.85	1.00		
White Beauty	.15	.35	.55	1.00		

# Burgess' Climbing TRIP-L-CROP

Burgess' Climbing Trip-L-Crop Tomato Seed is now coated with layers of beneficial and protective materials that encourage better germination, give the young plants nourishment for more dependable and faster growth, and protect them from diseases in the early stages of growth.

## BIG YIELDS

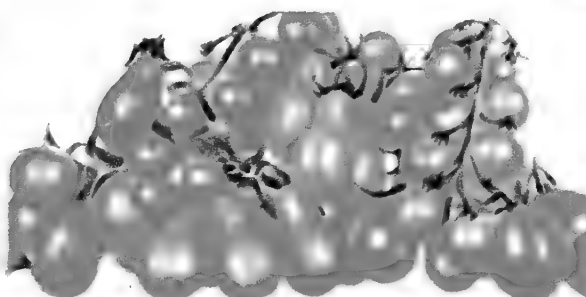
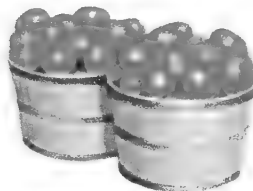
Burgess' Climbing Trip-L-Crop Tomato is by far the most productive of all Tomatoes, often producing 2 to 3 bushels from one vine. The plants are of rank growth, sending out long runners capable of setting clusters of fruit at each joint. This feature is not found in ordinary varieties.

**Burgess' Climbing TRIP-L-CROP.** Introduced by us in 1937. This is a variety with many superior qualities. Vines grow rapidly to a height of 10 to 18 feet (sometimes more than 20 feet) when grown on a trellis. A trellis, however, is not necessary as it will outyield other varieties when grown in bush form. The beautiful, large crimson fruits average  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across and  $2\frac{1}{4}$  in. deep, with some as deep as  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. and as wide as 5 in. across. The fruits are solid, with meaty center surrounded by small seed cells which are separated by solid divisions, which makes the tomato unexcelled for both slicing and canning. It is free from blight and disease and drought resistant. Two or three vines will produce enough fruit for an average family. It is not uncommon to pick more than two bushels of ripe tomatoes from one vine. The increasing demand for seed and the many letters we receive from satisfied customers more than substantiate all the claims we make for this wonderful Tomato. For big yields and tall vines start early and set out as soon as danger from frost is past. **Pelleted Seed (Pkt. 25c). Unpelleted Seed (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c)** ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75c), prepaid. Choice Greenhouse-grown plants for shipment from April 1 to June 1 only (12 for \$1.00) (24 for \$1.70). We cannot ship tomato plants to California.

## TOMATO MIX

Our Tomato Mix is a scientific blending of over 30 varieties of tomatoes. It includes all the colors, including yellow, orange, white, pink and a preponderance of reds. Early, midseason and late varieties are included.

For the gardener who wants a variety of tomatoes in small quantity, for bearing over the ENTIRE season, we suggest this mixture. (Pkt. 25c).



## SMALL FRUITED TOMATOES

Tests by the U. S. Department of Agriculture show that small fruited tomatoes have 4 times the Vitamin C of regular varieties.

75 days. Following miniature tomatoes are named for their resemblance to fruits. Delicious in salads, as preserves and pickles.

**Red Cherry** **Red Plum** **Yellow Pear**  
**Red Pear** **Yellow Cherry** **Yellow Plum**  
(Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c) (oz. 90c).  
**MIXED SMALL FRUITED:** (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70c) (oz. \$1.30).

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR GROWING EARLIER AND LARGER TOMATOES

It is easy to grow larger tomatoes with fewer seeds that ripen two weeks earlier and produce a bigger crop by using **BLOSSOM-SET**.

At least a 60° night temperature is required to make tomato blooms set much fruit and when the temperature gets as low as 50° they will not set at all. **BLOSSOM-SET** sprayed on the blooms when they first start to open will make them set at low temperatures and will, therefore, produce earlier and more fruit that will be practically seedless. This should be particularly interesting to growers in high altitudes and cool climates. **BLOSSOM-SET** really produces results and is well worth the little time required to apply. (4 oz. 75c) (pt. \$1.75), prepaid.

## IMPROVED COLOSSAL Largest of All Tomatoes

90 days. Introduced by us in 1948. The Improved Colossal series are the largest of all tomatoes. The large spreading plants are well branched with heavy foliage, giving adequate fruit protection. The fruits are deep, but flat, and when well grown will average 14 oz., with some weighing as much as 3 lbs. The flesh is thick, meaty and extremely mild. Fine for canning and slicing. Just think of thick, meaty slices of beautifully colored tomatoes up to 6 inches across!

**Improved Colossal Crimson.** This beautifully colored fruit is a natural for taking prizes at fairs.

**Improved Colossal Golden.** Equally as large as Improved Colossal Crimson, and its deep golden color makes it a suitable companion.

**Improved Colossal Red.** This brightly colored tomato is slightly smaller in circumference than Crimson and Golden, but is deeper and, therefore, equal to them in weight.

**Improved Colossal Yellow.** This variety has the mildest flavor of any of the other colors. It is also a little flatter, but is as broad as Crimson and Golden.

**PRICES:** (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85c) (oz. \$1.60) ( $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.70).

## SPECIAL OFFER OF IMPROVED COLOSSAL

4 Pkts. (one of each color)

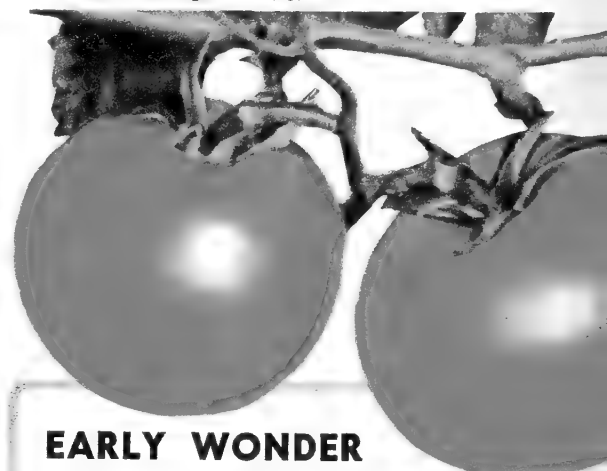
85c

## BURGESS' CRACK-PROOF The Perfect Tomato

74 days. The most outstanding Tomato introduction in years. As the name implies, **Burgess' Crack-Proof** will not crack under average growing conditions and is practically free from cracking under the most adverse conditions. The truly perfect Tomato!

**Burgess' Crack-Proof Tomato.** Introduced by us in 1945. A thrifty second-early variety, which bears over a long period. It bears large sub-globular to globular scarlet fruits that are remarkably smooth and well finished from stem to blossom end. It has little or no objectionable cracks and skin blemishes that sometimes mar tomatoes and cause undue loss of the upper slice or two in preparation for salads and canning.

The foliage of **Burgess' Crack-Proof** is distinct from other large-fruited varieties and remains green throughout a long season, permitting continuous heavy pickings of fruit until the plants are killed by frost in the fall. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20) ( $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.50) (lb. \$10.20), prepaid. **Pelleted Seed on Pages 2 and 3.**



## EARLY WONDER "New Early, BIG Tomato"

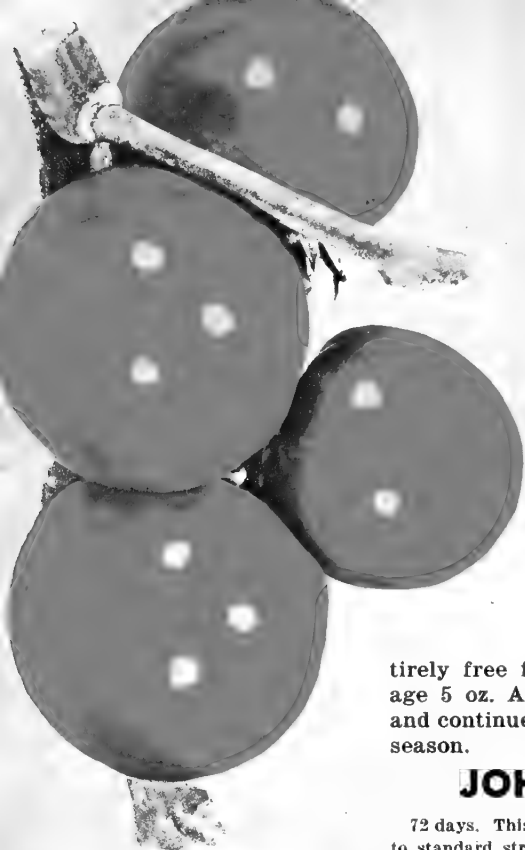
This is Burgess' tremendous **EARLY** and **BIG** tomato. Smooth, mild, meaty, uniform, deep scarlet fruit bearing 58 days from setting plants. Fruit average 6 oz., with a peck or more to the plant. Plants medium small for 2 ft. apart planting; good foliage protection. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  Oz. 65c) (Oz. \$1.20) ( $\frac{1}{4}$  Lb. \$3.50) (Lb. \$10.20).

Crimson

Yellow

Red

Golden



## Burgess' EARLIEST and BEST

68 days. Since our introduction of this variety in 1918, there have been quite a number of extra-early varieties introduced. Even though it is now in the second-early class, it is one of the finest. The bright scarlet fruits are smooth, solid, meaty, en-

tirely free from core and average 5 oz. A tremendous yielder and continues to bear over a long season.

## JOHN BAER

72 days. This popular variety is similar to standard strains of Bonny Best. The deep scarlet fruits are globe-shaped and average 4 1/4 oz. Very productive and used for canning and market in the Northern States.

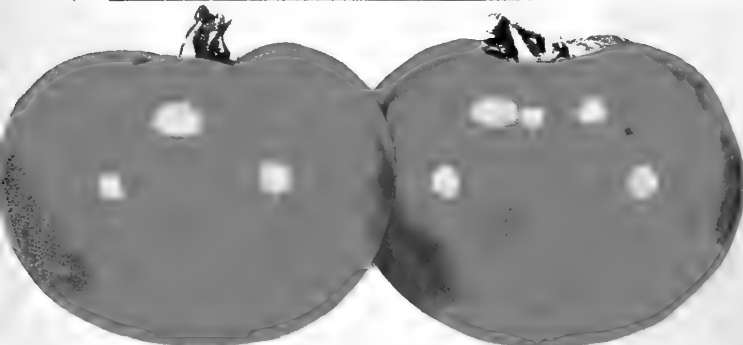
## OXHEART Large "Heart" Tomato

95 days. A large heart-shaped tomato that is smooth, thick, tender and almost seedless; frequently showing two inches thick without a seed cavity. Three pound specimens are quite common. A pink tomato with a delicious mild flavor that every lover of this fruit likes. For quality it is unexcelled.

## SEE PELLETED SEEDS Pages 2-3

### Tomato Seed Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Pkt.	Jumbo Pkt.	1/2 oz.	Oz.	1 lb.	Lb.
Beefsteak	\$0.15	\$0.35	\$0.60	\$1.10	\$3.20	\$9.30
Bison	.15	.35	.45	.80	2.30	6.60
Burgess' Earliest and Best	.10	.25	.40	.70	2.00	5.70
Early Chatham	.15	.35	.45	.80	2.30	6.60
Firesteel	.15	.35	.45	.80	2.30	6.60
Grothen's Globe (W.R.)	.10	.25	.45	.80	2.00	5.70
Ground Cherry or Husk	.15	.35	.50	.90		
John Baer	.10	.25	.35	.60	1.70	4.80
Oxheart	.20	.50	.70	1.30	3.80	11.10
San Marzano	.20	.50	.70	1.30	3.80	11.10
Southland	.15	.35	.50	.90	2.60	7.50
Sugar	.20	.50	.70			
Valiant	.15	.35	.50	.90	2.60	7.50
Wisconsin 55	.15	.35	.45	.80	2.30	6.60



## FIRESTEEL

60 days. Largest fruit of the extra early varieties. Medium size with fairly dense foliage, giving good fruit protection. The scarlet red, fleshy fruits are smooth, globular and free from cracking.

## SOUTHLAND

75 days. This superb wilt-resistant new variety is particularly suited to the South Atlantic states, including Florida, and outstanding as a main crop variety in the North.



## "WISCONSIN 55"

68 days. This new early, large-fruited variety is in season with Break O'Day. The fruits are large, smooth, globular, of fine quality and of good scarlet red color. They are notably firm and meaty, with rather small seed pockets. The medium size plants are moderately open in habit and continue to bear over a long season. Suitable for slicing, canning, juicing and green-wrap shipping.

## Grothen's Globe

(Wilt-Resistant)

68 days. A popular variety for hot climates and well adapted to green-wrap shipping. Resembles Break O'Day, only the fruit is deep scarlet and the plants have heavier foliage, affording better protection from sun-scald. It is a heavy cropper and fruits average 6 1/2 oz.

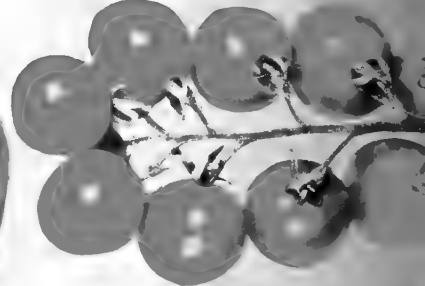
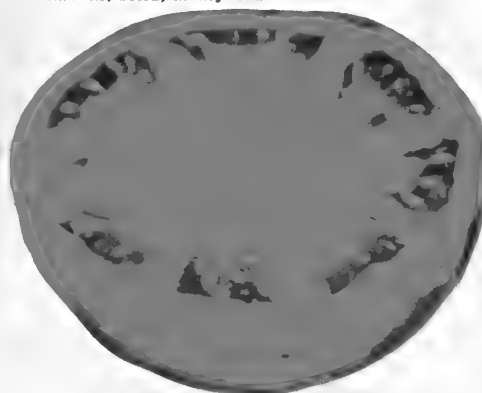
## VALIANT

The Smooth Early

70 days. Smooth, heavy, solid, fine quality, 7 oz. fruit. Valiant is bright scarlet in color and early fruiting with light foliage habit. Especially suited for early market and the home garden. Fine for green-wrap shipping.

## BISON

52 days. This variety starts ripening with Early Chatham, but the fruits ripen over a longer season and with slightly green markings around the stem end. Plants may be started early and transplanted to the field in full bloom without retarding their growth, and ripe tomatoes may be picked in less than 52 days. The red fruits are smooth, solid, meaty and of medium size.



## SUGAR TOMATO

Requires Less Sugar

60 days. The sweetest of all Tomatoes. The round, brilliant scarlet fruits are 3/4" across and are borne in long clusters 8 to 12 inches long. It ripens early and continues to bear throughout the season. The fruits are small, but are so sweet they can be used for preserves, juice and canning without adding sugar. They are delicious and attractive when served with olives and pickles.

## GIANT BEEFSTEAK

9 Oz. Fruits

88 days. The standard large, late, home garden variety. The large crimson fruits are deep, but flat, and will average 9 oz. They are extremely fleshy with few seeds, very mild and fine for slicing and canning.

## GROUND CHERRY or HUSK

85 days. While it is not a true tomato, it belongs to the same family and is grown in the same manner. The small yellow fruits are borne in husks. They are delicious either raw or cooked, and when dried in sugar, are as good as raisins for cakes and puddings. For preserves and pies they are excellent. Easily grown and prolific bearers. Fruits will keep nearly all winter if stored in a cool place.

## SAN MARZANO

70 days. A mild, dry-fleshed Italian variety used extensively for making tomato paste. Also useful for preserves and sauces. The oblong fruits are deep scarlet. Our strain is large fruited, averaging 4 inches long and 1 1/4 inches across.

## EARLY CHATHAM

Ideal for Direct Seeding

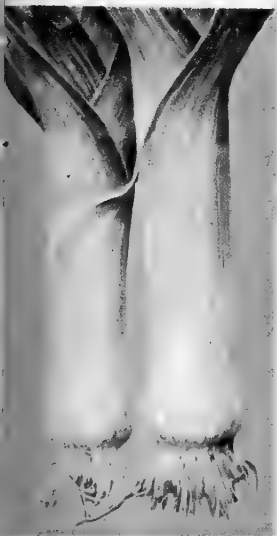
55 days. Introduced by the Upper Peninsula Experiment Station of Michigan State College especially for areas with short growing seasons. It is so early, it is suitable for seeding directly in the garden in the North. By planting our Pelleted seeds direct in the garden, ripe fruits can be had in 80 days from seeding. The small, compact plants can stand as close as 2 feet apart and are loaded with firm, rich red, medium-sized, globe-shaped fruits. Recommended for home gardens, as well as for market growers wanting a big yield of extra early tomatoes.



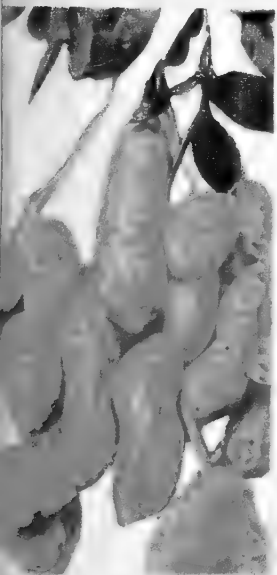




G. Self-Blanching



Giant Flag



Sweet Spanish



## CELERY

(Disease-Treated Seed)

**GIANT PASCAL.** A green variety for fall and winter use. It is tall with large, thick and solid green stalks, which are stringless, crisp, of fine nutty flavor, and an excellent keeper. (Pkt. 10c) (½ oz. 40c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.25) (lb. \$6.75) prepaid.

**GOLDEN PLUME.** A semi-dwarf early variety, producing thick and heavy stalks with a well-blanching solid heart; crisp—and of the highest table quality. More vigorous than Golden Self-Blanching and quite resistant to blight and rot. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 95c) (¼ lb. \$3.00) (lb. \$9.00) prepaid.

**GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING.** A very desirable shipping sort; plants are of medium size, compact and stocky, and grow about 20 to 24 inches tall; leaf stalks are thick and solid; blanches readily and is crisp, tender and of a sweet nutty flavor. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 95c) (¼ lb. \$3.00) (lb. \$9.00) prepaid.

## LEEK

One Ounce of Seed to 200 Feet of Row

**GIANT FLAG**—Highly esteemed as a fall and winter substitute for green onions. Excellent for stews, soups or creamed. Belongs to the onion family but is considered of finer flavor. Mild and sweet; very hardy and easily cultivated in the home garden. The edible stems are 6 to 8 inches in length and about 3 inches in diameter. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.75) (lb. \$5.00) prepaid.

## PEANUTS

IMPROVED EARLY SPANISH

Will Grow and Produce Good Crops in the North

Just as good Peanuts can be grown in the Northern States as in the South, provided you plant Improved Early Spanish. This is the earliest variety grown, and very productive. The pods are small, but remarkably solid and well filled with nuts of the very finest quality. Shell nuts carefully so as not to break inside skin, and plant as soon as ground becomes warm, about 2 inches deep in rows 3 feet apart, and from 8 to 10 inches apart in the row. (Pkt. 10c) (pt. 35c) (qt. 65c) (2 qts. \$1.20) prepaid.

## ← SALSIFY

Vegetable Oyster

One ounce to 75 feet of row.

**MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND**—Salsify or Vegetable Oyster is grown like Parsnip and is very delicious. Cover the plants with leaves or straw in the fall and you can dig them all winter and spring when other fresh vegetables are scarce. The young leaves or shoots that start in the spring are most delicious in salads. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 55c) (¼ lb. \$1.50) (lb. \$4.25) prepaid.



## EGG PLANT

(Disease-Treated)

**BLACK BEAUTY.** The earliest and best. Compact and robust bushes are laden with the mammoth fruits. Bear continuously until frost. The skin is a rich, lustrous, purplish black. Very productive; entirely free from spines or thorns. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 40c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.35) prepaid.

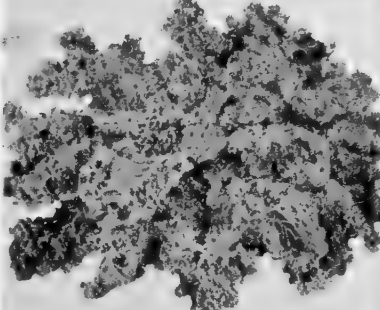


## PARSLEY

**PARAMOUNT.** Extra-triple-curved upright type suitable for bunching. Unusually dark green color. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 70c) (lb. \$1.85) prepaid.

**MOSS CURLED, or TRIPLE CURLED.** The earliest variety of parsley. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.60) prepaid.

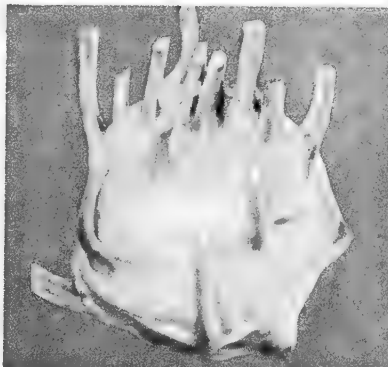
**PARSNIP-ROOTED or Hamburg.** The fleshy root resembles a small parsnip. Excellent for flavoring soups, stews, etc. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.60) prepaid.



## KALE

This is a species of the cabbage family which is extensively grown for greens. It is harder than cabbage; plants withstand several degrees of frost.

**DWARF SCOTCH.** The best variety. Large, finely curled, parsley-like leaves which can be used for garnishing as well as for greens. Tender and finest flavor. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 75c) (lb. \$2.25) (5 lbs. \$10.00) prepaid.



## KOHL-RABI

One Ounce of Seed for 200 Feet of Row

A Cabbage that does not make a head, but forms a turnip-shaped swelling above ground. May be cooked either like cauliflower or turnip, resembling cauliflower, but milder. Delicious when used raw in mixed salads.

**EARLY WHITE VIENNA** is the best variety of Kohlrabi and is ready for the table in 60 days from seed. Flesh firm but very tender, sweet and delicious. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.25) (lb. \$3.75) prepaid.

# CARROTS

One ounce for 200 feet of row; 2 to 4 pounds per acre.

## CORELESS NANTES

68 days. Desirable for forcing and one of the best for home garden and market. Roots 7 inches long and 1¼ inches thick; stump-rooted. Flesh bright orange with inconspicuous core and is as "coreless" as a Carrot can be.

## OXHEART

80 days. A good variety to grow on soils too hard and stiff for longer-rooted sorts. Root short and thick, nearly as thick as long but of good size and excellent quality.

## CHANTENAY LONG TYPE

70 days. A selected strain of Chantenay for the market gardener. More suitable for bunching and shipping than the standard sort. Carrots are smooth, cylindrical, stump-rooted, with small tap root; red-orange in color, with indistinct core. They average 7 inches in length and 2 inches in diameter at the shoulder. They are of the highest quality, tender and of excellent flavor.

## IMPERATOR

The 10-Inch Carrot

77 days. An outstanding bunching carrot which is popular with market gardeners. Fine for shipping and for the home garden. Roots 10 inches long, smooth and uniformly tapered to a semi-blunt end. Flesh rich orange color, extending to center of root, with indistinct core; fine grained, tender and of best quality.

## DANVER'S HALF LONG

75 days. Adapted to all soils and enormously productive; 5 to 6 inches in length; flesh very tender and sweet; rich orange color; fine grained and free from woody fibre.

## CHANTENAY, RED CORED

70 days. A popular early bunching carrot; also suitable for storage. Roots are 5½ to 6 inches long and 2¼ inches in diameter at the shoulders. Very smooth, deep orange in color, tapered and stump-rooted.

## IMPROVED LONG ORANGE

85 days. 10 to 12 inches long; smooth and of rich orange color. An excellent keeper. Fine quality for table use. Also planted extensively for stock feeding on account of its high yielding qualities and food value. Succeeds best in light soil.

## TENDERSWEET

80 days. The sweetest of all Carrots. This second-early sort is ideal for bunching. Roots 10 inches long, and only 2 inches broad at shoulder, gradually tapering to a point. Deep orange color, with indistinct core. Fine for shipping and unexcelled for home garden use.



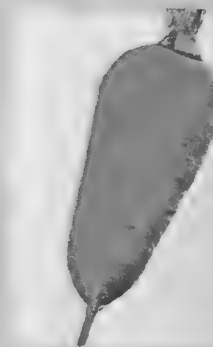
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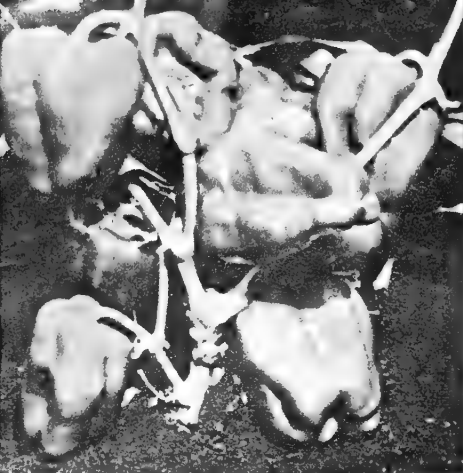
Chantenay Half Long



Danver's Half Long

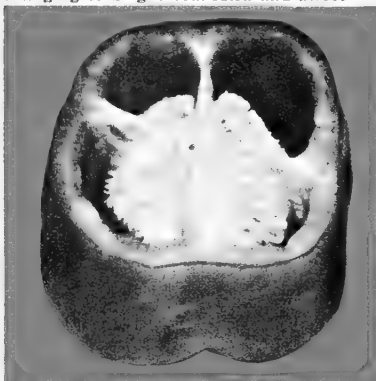
### Carrot Seed Prepaid at the Following Prices:

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	1 lb.	5 lbs.
Chantenay Long Type.	\$0.15	\$0.30	\$0.85	\$2.50	\$11.00
Chantenay Red-Cored.	.10	.25	.75	2.25	10.00
Coreless Nantes.	.15	.30	.85	2.50	11.00
Danver's Half Long.	.10	.25	.75	2.25	10.00
Imperator.	.10	.25	.75	2.25	10.00
Improved Long Orange	.10	.25	.75	2.25	10.00
Oxheart.	.10	.25	.75	2.25	10.00
Tendersweet.	.15	.35	1.00	2.85	12.50



### PACEMAKER

"The Earliest One." 55 days. This new variety is the earliest Pepper grown. Fruits are ready to pick in 55 days after setting out plants. It is extremely prolific and continues to bear until killed by frost. Fruits 3" x 2", dark green, changing to bright red. Mild and sweet.



### MICHIGAN WONDER

"The Thick-Meated Pepper"  
68 days. Introduced by us in 1939. Fruits are dark green, changing to crimson at maturity. They are 4½ inches long and 3¾ inches across with extremely thick flesh. Michigan Wonder is the most uniform and the finest pepper we know of for the market and home gardener. Will weigh more for its size than any other pepper.

## Burgess' Disease Treated

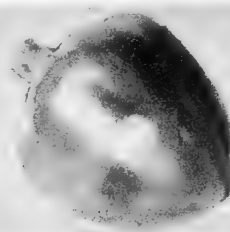
The Pepper is one of the most easily grown vegetables if our disease-treated seed is used. One ounce of Pepper seed will produce 1,500 plants. Days indicated are from plant setting to picking. **PEPPER PLANTS ON PAGE 4.**

## PEPPER SEED



### CHINESE GIANT

80 days. A large, blocky pepper. Fruits 4½ inches long and 4½ inches across, fairly thick flesh, of fine flavor and very mild. Plants well branched and thickly set with fruits.



### PIMIENTO

73 days. Grown for canning and home gardens. Fruits medium sized, heart-shaped, sweet and of excellent flavor. 3 in. long and 2 in. through the shoulder. Start early in far North.

#### Worldbeater

72 days. A very productive sweet Pepper of large size. The fruit, when ripe, is a glossy rich scarlet, with thick mild flesh. 5 inches long and 3½ inches across; just the right size and shape for stuffing.

#### California Wonder

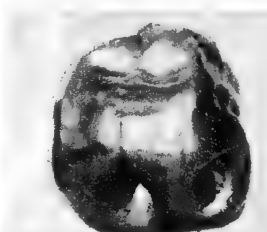
75 days. A Pepper of exceptional merit. Its thick walls are firm and the flesh is deliciously sweet and spicy, with no bite to it. The fruits will average about 4 inches in diameter and 4½ inches in length. The skin is smooth and glossy, deep green, turning to crimson.

#### Red Chili

82 days. One of the hottest peppers for making pickles and Tabasco Sauce. Fruits 2 inches long and ½ inch thick and cone-shaped. They are light green, changing to deep red.

#### Golden Wonder

65 days. An early, large, thick-meated yellow pepper like Michigan Wonder, except earlier and golden yellow.



### "King of the North"

**Big Fruit, Abundant Yield**  
65 days. This is the earliest of the mammoth-size Peppers. The fruits, which, when ripe, are of a brilliant red color, average about 5½" long and 3½" across. The flesh is firm, very sweet and mild. The plants are of a branching growth and literally covered with the large fruit, which are borne from the bottom right up to the top of the plant. Most valuable Pepper for stuffing.

### "Special" Pepper Mix

We recommend this mixture for the home gardener who has but little space for peppers and wishes to grow several kinds. Many varieties, sweet and hot, large and small.

**Excellent Source of Vitamins B, and A**  
One Ounce for 20 Hills; 3 to 4 Pounds Per Acre

### HUNGARIAN YELLOW →

65 days. The earliest Hot Pepper. Fruits 1½ inches across at shoulder and taper to 6 inches in length. Extremely hot and of bright waxy yellow color, changing to bright cherry red at full maturity. Fine for pickling and canning. Its beautiful color almost makes it an ornamental in garden.

### "ITALIAN SWEET"

Long, Red, Mild and Sweet

60 days. A new sweet pepper that is redder than it is mild. Wonderful to decorate salads. 5" to 6" long, 2½" wide, tapering to blunt point. Deep green at early stages, turning bright red. Dwarf, upright plants. Delicious eaten raw or cooked.

### LONG RED CAYENNE

70 days. The leading hot pepper. 5 inches long and about ½ inch thick. Very early. Flesh is thick and pungent. Smooth, tapered, waxy light yellow, turning bright red.

### RUBY KING →

"Good for Stuffing"

70 days. A large, early, sweet pepper for home and market gardens. Walls are of medium thickness and are desirable for stuffing.

### Harris' Early Giant

63 days. The plants are very vigorous, growing 1½ to 2 feet high and actually loaded down with fruits measuring 4½ inches long and 3½ inches across. The flesh is thick, sweet and pleasant flavored.

### Pepper Seed Prepaid at the Following Prices

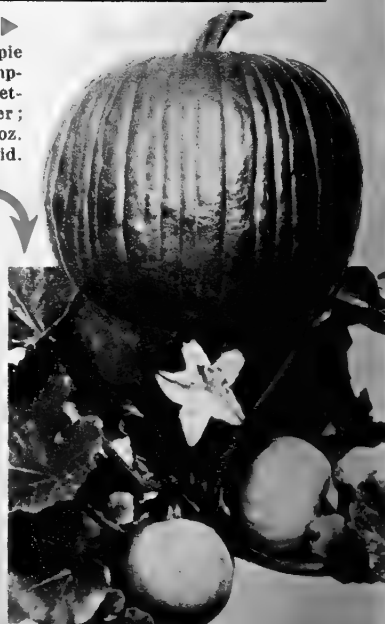
	Packet	½ Oz.	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
California Wonder...	\$0.15	\$0.40	\$0.70	\$2.25	\$6.75
Chinese Giant.....	.15	.45	.80	2.50	7.50
Golden Wonder.....	.20	.60	1.10	3.25	9.75
Harris' Early Giant..	.15	.45	.80	2.50	7.50
Hungarian Yellow....	.15	.45	.80	2.50	7.50
Italian Sweet.....	.15	.45	.80	2.50	7.50
King of the North....	.15	.40	.70	2.25	6.75
Long Red Cayenne....	.10	.35	.60	2.00	6.00
Michigan Wonder....	.20	.55	1.00	3.00	9.00
Pacemaker.....	.15	.45	.80	2.50	7.50
Pimiento.....	.10	.35	.60	2.00	6.00
Red Chili.....	.15	.40	.70	2.25	6.75
Ruby King.....	.10	.35	.60	2.00	6.00
Worldbeater.....	.10	.35	.60	2.00	6.00
Special Mixture.....	.20	.50			

### SMALL SUGAR ▶

100 days. The most popular pie pumpkin. Looks like a Field Pumpkin, but is smaller and of much better quality. Flesh sweet and tender; excellent keeper. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 22c) (¼ lb. 55c) (lb. \$1.65), prepaid.

### CHEYENNE BUSH

75 days. Pumpkins can be successfully grown in the small garden. Cheyenne Bush is a real space saver, as it forms compact bushes 2 feet high and only 2 feet across. Each bush will produce 2 or 3 fine quality pumpkins, each one just right for a pie. Cheyenne Bush Pumpkin was introduced by the Cheyenne, Wyoming, Horticultural Field Station. It is extremely early and can be grown in climates having a short season. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 80c) (lb. \$2.50), prepaid.



## PUMPKINS

**BIG TOM, CONNECTICUT or IMPROVED LARGE FIELD.** 115 days. Leading corn field Pumpkin. Smooth, hard, red-orange skin, with rich orange-yellow flesh. Wonderfully prolific. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 22c) (¼ lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.50), prepaid.

**GIANT SWEET POTATO.** 110 days. When cooked, resembles a sweet potato in flavor, but more delicious. Pear-shaped and slightly ribbed. Creamy white, striped with green. Flesh is fine grained and very dry. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.80), prepaid.

**WINTER LUXURY.** 100 days. Best pie Pumpkin. Winter-keeping qualities unequalled. Slightly oval and medium size. Evenly and finely netted and is yellowish russet color. Flesh deep and golden; sweet, and cooks quickly. A great producer. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.80), prepaid.

### PRIZE PUMPKIN MIXTURE

A grand mixture of different kinds. Some of each variety on this page. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 28c) (¼ lb. 70c) (lb. \$2.00), prepaid.

### ← JUMBO PUMPKIN

110 days. This pumpkin is really a giant. When well grown will average 75 lbs. with specimens weighing over 100 lbs. Always a prize winner at exhibitions. It is a splendid keeper and valuable for feeding purposes as well as first quality for pies. Our strain is earlier and extra select. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 80c) (lb. \$2.50), prepaid.





# Disease-Treated ONION SEED

One Ounce for 200 Feet of Row—4 to 6 Lbs. Per Acre

## Southport Red Globe

The best round red Onion. Keeps well and a good yielder.

## Southport White Globe

This large, round, white Onion is the most widely planted of the white varieties as it keeps well in storage and always brings a fancy price on the market.

## Yellow Bermuda

Excel 986

### The "Northern" Bermuda

An earlier, slower-to-bolt Bermuda that can be planted farther North. Highly recommended for South. Heavy yielder of quality onions. An All-America Winner.



Southport Yellow Globe

## Southport Yellow Globe

Brigham Strain

This fine strain is superior to the old strains of Southport and is preferred by most growers. Brigham Strain of Southport has better keeping qualities and larger yields. Our seed is grown from large, yellow, globe-shaped bulbs and is extra fine and is a week earlier than standard Southport Yellow Globe.



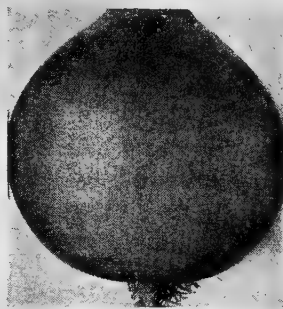
Early Yellow Globe

## Early Yellow Globe

Sure-Crop Onion

Early Yellow Globe is the earliest yellow globe onion. Onions of good size, fine globe shape and beautiful yellow color. As to maturity, it can be put on the market fully two weeks earlier than Danvers or Southport Strains of yellow globe. On several occasions onion crops have been a failure except Early Yellow Globe, which produced a fine crop of good sized onions that brought a price much above market. An enormous cropper and a good winter keeper.

## Michigan State College



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### Sweet Spanish

A long keeping strain of Yellow Sweet Spanish developed at Michigan State College. Growers wanting a sweet onion for long keeping in storage should plant this strain, as the onions will keep late into the Spring in perfect condition. The outer skin is tight and holds to the flesh, making very attractive onions after they have been held in storage for 6 months.

## Yellow Sweet Spanish

The Largest and Sweetest Onion

**UTAH STRAIN**—This globe-shaped Onion is the largest and sweetest variety grown. The flesh is pure white, of very fine grain, crisp, juicy, and so mild and sweet that it is unsurpassed for eating raw. The skin is light yellow. Although of gigantic size, it has a small top, is a fair keeper, and, if allowed to dry thoroughly, will stand shipping. Utah Sweet Spanish is more resistant to thrips and mildew blight than most varieties.

## White Sweet Spanish

The Largest White Onion—Jumbo

Identical in every way to the above described Yellow Sweet Spanish except color, which is pure white. Mammoth in size, solid, crisp, juicy, sweet and mild. The most handsome white onion ever grown.

## EBENEZER

The Extra Long Keeping Onion

The flesh is white, firm and of a very delicate flavor. The Onions are quite similar to Yellow Globe Danvers in shape but much larger in size, yellow skinned and have very small tops. Those who want a nice Onion, either for large Onions or bottom sets, would do well to try the Ebenezer. Sets of this variety rarely produce seed stalks as other kinds do. They will keep sound and hard all winter. The best variety for sets and the heaviest yielder.

## CRYSTAL WHITE WAX

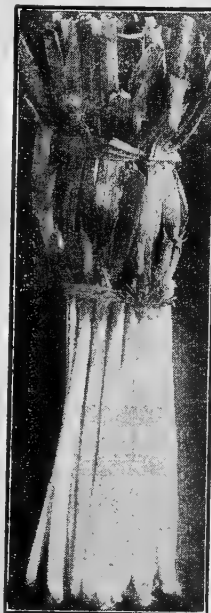
Extra Mild and Sweet

This White Bermuda Onion is extra mild and sweet. The onions are medium-large, flat and pure white. Many car loads are grown annually in Texas and shipped North for early Spring use. Also does well in the North. One of the earliest Onions grown, and the earliest of the Bermuda type.

## Evergreen White Bunching

For "Green" Onions

A very profitable home and market garden variety for young or bunching onions. Produces a cluster of 4 to 6 long, white shoots from a single seed in the first season. By drawing the soil up around the plants these tender shoots can be blanched. Winters over well and provides a heavy crop for early spring if planted in midsummer.

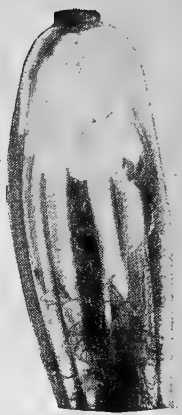


Evergreen White

## FLORENCE FENNEL OR FINOCCHIO

More Easily Grown Than Celery

The flavor is somewhat like celery, but sweeter. A delicious vegetable which should be more largely grown. It is extensively used as a salad in some parts of Europe, and is particularly palatable when served boiled, with a cream dressing. Very distinct from Sweet Fennel, easily cultivated, and matures quickly from seed sown in early summer. The thickened bases of the leaf-stalks form a bulb-like growth, which is blanched by earthing up like celery. Requires less blanching than celery. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 90c) prepaid.



Florence Fennel

## Culinary and Medicinal

# HERBS

Herbs are both useful and ornamental, and are easily grown in beds, flower borders, rockeries and in the vegetable garden. They contribute flavor to the menu and fragrance to the home. For winter use, cut stalks on a dry day, when not quite in full bloom, thoroughly dry in the shade, and pack in air-tight jars. Varieties marked with an asterisk (\*) are perennial.

**ANISE**—Aromatic seeds; leaves for salads. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c).

**\*BALM**—Fragrant, lemon-minty leaves. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 60c).

**BASIL**, Sweet—For spicy flavoring. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 40c).

**BORAGE**—for seasoning and salads. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 35c).

**CARAWAY**—A biennial, grown for its spicy seeds. (Pkt. 10c) (1 oz. 50c).

**\*CATNIP**, or **CATMINT**—For seasoning and animal tonic; also used as tea for nervous headaches. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c).

**\*CHIVES**—For salads and wild onion flavor. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) (¼ lb. \$2.50). Plants (3 for 69c) (6 for \$1.25) (12 for \$2.25) prepaid.

**CORIANDER**—Aromatic seed. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 40c).

**DILL**—For seasoning pickles. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.50) prepaid.

**\*FENNEL**, Sweet—For flavoring. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c).

**GARLIC SETS**—(Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

**\*HOREHOUND**—Used for flavoring candy, and tea for coughs. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c).

**\*HYSSOP**—Flavoring and salads. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c).

**MARJORAM**, Sweet—Used in soups and salads; also as a tea for indigestion. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 60c).

**PARSLEY** (Parsament)—Finest of all. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 70c) (1 lb. \$1.85).

**\*ROSEMARY**—For soups and aromatic oil. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c).

**SAFFRON**—For flavoring and coloring. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c).

**\*SAGE**, Broad Leaved—For seasoning dressings, sausages, etc. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c).

**SUMMER SAVORY**—For flavoring salads, dressings and gravies. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 40c).

**TARRAGON**—Wonderful flavorer. Plants (45c each) (3 for \$1.00). No Seed.

**\*THYME**—For seasoning and making tea for nervous headaches. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 75c).

**\*WORMWOOD**—Used for worm medicine and flavoring liqueurs; a fine poultry tonic. (Pkt. 20c) (½ oz. 75c).

## ANNUAL HERB MIXTURE

This seed packet is a mixture of the annual varieties described on this page. Pkt., 25c.

## PERENNIAL HERB MIXTURE

This seed packet is a mixture of the perennial varieties described on this page. Pkt. 25c.

## Onion Seeds Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Packet	½ Oz.	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Crystal White Wax	\$0.15		\$0.55	\$1.50	\$4.25	
Early Yellow Globe	.15		.55	1.50	4.25	\$20.00
Ebenezer	.10		.50	1.35	4.00	18.75
Evergreen White Bunching	.15	\$0.35	.65	1.80	5.00	
Mich. State College Sweet Spanish	.15	.45	.80	2.25	6.25	30.00
Southport Red Globe	.10		.55	1.50	4.25	20.00
Southport White Globe	.15		.60	1.65	4.70	22.00
Southport Yellow Globe, Brigham Strain	.10		.50	1.35	4.00	18.75
White Sweet Spanish—Jumbo	.15	.45	.80	2.25	6.25	30.00
Yellow Bermuda, Excel 986	.15		.60	1.65	4.70	22.00
Yellow Sweet Spanish	.15	.40	.70	1.95	5.35	25.00

## GROUND ALMONDS OR CHUFA

200 to 300 NUTS IN A HILL

The Ground Almond, or Chufa, has a fine flavor, resembling the Coconut or Almond. The meat is snow-white, covered with a thin shell or skin of brown color. It grows close to the surface. Is very prolific, a single nut yielding from 200 to 300 nuts in a hill and will do well in any kind of soil. If nuts are planted in the spring a big crop can be expected about potato harvest time. Usually eaten raw but have an excellent flavor either raw or roasted. (Unable to ship to California.) (Pkt. 10c) (¼ lb. 30c) (1 lb. 90c) (5 lbs. \$3.50) prepaid.

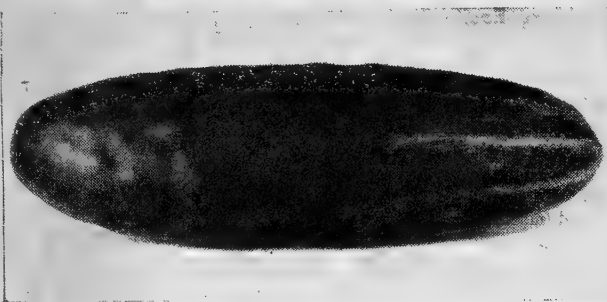
Burgess Seed & Plant Co.



# CUCUMBERS

One Ounce of Seed for 100 Hills—2 to 3 lbs. to the Acre. We grow our own seed and all of it's treated for disease for you—an added Burgess service.

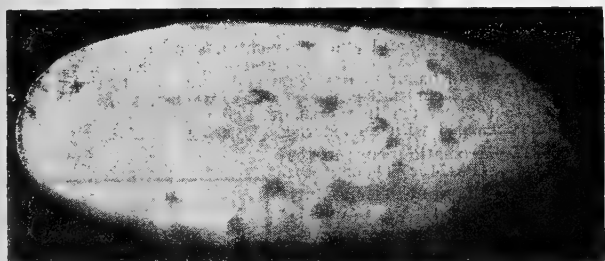
China Long



## EARLY MICHIGAN

The Earliest Slicing Cucumber

54 days. Early Fortune type, the dark green fruits being slim with well-rounded ends, and averaging 7 inches long. Good for pickles, as well as slicing, as a great many fruits set at one time. Its ability to continue bearing over a long period makes this variety ideal for the home garden, as well as for the early market.



## WHITE WONDER

58 days. White at all stages of growth and, when about 3 in. long, make very attractive pickles. The quality is also all that could be desired. If allowed to mature, the fruits are about 7 in. long by 2½ in. thick. Exceptionally mild and excellent for slicing. Bear in great abundance, beginning early and continuing until fall. Especially recommended for the home garden.

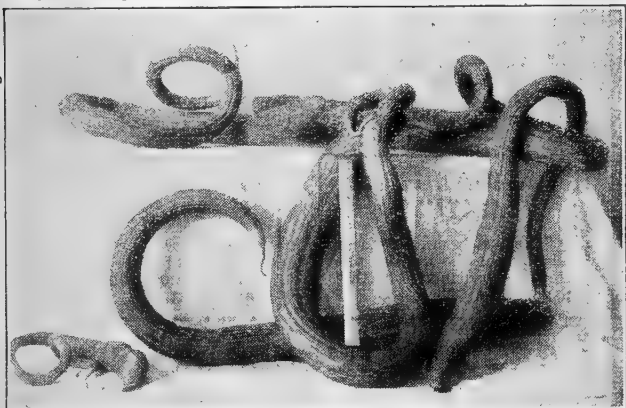
## LEMON CUKE

Sweetest—Finest Flavor

64 days. A real Cucumber, similar in size, shape and color to a lemon. Sweeter than others and by many it is considered to be the finest flavored variety. Highly esteemed for pickling, either green or ripe, and for slicing just as the fruits are turning yellow. Rust and drought resistant. Produces a big crop almost regardless of weather and soil conditions.

## ALL-PURPOSE "Bargain" MIXTURE

Just right for those who want some of all the different cucumbers. A fine mixture of the many varieties we catalog—early, late, slicers, pickles, large and small, etc.



## Serpent or Snake Cucumber

This curious Cucumber resembles a green snake. The long, slim fruits coil into most realistic serpent-like shapes. They are usually 2 to 3 feet in length, sometimes attaining a length of 5 feet. See the above photograph, showing six of the cucumbers and a one-foot rule, to show the comparative size.

## A & C or COLORADO

Bears Over Long Season

68 days. This extremely dark green cucumber holds its color well and is practically free from white stripes. Fruit is 2½x9 inches in size and tapered at both ends. It bears over a long season and is fine for shipping and the home garden.

## MARKETER

The Leading Shipper

65 days. This very uniform and prolific bearer has earned its way as "the leading shipper." Fruits are dark green, 2¼x7¾ inches in size and slightly tapered at each end. It has practically no white striping or tipping.

## HIGHMOOR

Blight Resistant

64 days. Highmoor not only resists blight, but is one of the most productive of the slicing varieties. Dark green fruits are 2¼x9 inches in size with uniform, rounded ends. Very attractive. Ideal for shipping as well as for the home garden. If blight is your problem, be sure to give this variety a trial.

## JAPANESE CLIMBING

(Wilt Resistant)

60 days. A good variety to save garden space as the vigorous and healthy vines throw out strong tendrils, enabling them to climb trellis, wire netting or any other suitable support. The most wilt resistant of all. Fruits long and thick, crisp, tender and of good quality. If kept picked, the vines will bear freely all season.

## IMPROVED LONG GREEN

Best for "Chunk Pickles"

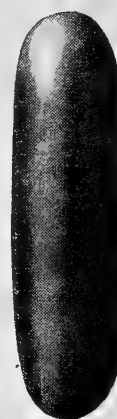
67 days. Fruits 12 to 13 inches in length. Fine for slicing and whole pickles, but its solid, crisp flesh makes it most popular for chunk pickles. More widely used for this purpose than any other variety.

## CUCUMBER BARGAIN

1 Early Michigan, 1 Colorado, 1 National Pickle, 1 White Wonder.  
All 4 pkts. only 45c

## STRAIGHT-8

For Dependable Yields



Straight-8

64 days. Fruits rich deep green; straight, cylindrical; about 8 inches long and 1½ inches thick. Superb home garden variety for slicing and salad use; good for home pickling; ideal for "Bread and butter" pickles. Fruits streamlined for packing and shipping. Straight-8 has natural capacity for extremely high yields under favorable conditions; plants bear relatively high proportions of fruit-producing female flowers and correspondingly low proportions of non-productive male flowers.

## CHINA LONG

2 Feet Long

72 days. This remarkable cucumber from the Orient is of finer quality than any other variety. Fruits 20 inches to 2 feet in length and only 2 inches through. Skin deep green, nearly smooth, the spines being few and small. Flesh white, extremely crisp; the nearest seedless of any variety. Vines vigorous and have shown great ability to produce under adverse conditions as it is mosaic resistant.



Cucumber Seed Delivered at the Following Prices

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
A & C, or Colorado	\$0.10	\$0.30	\$0.85	\$2.50	\$11.25
China Long	.25	(Jumbo Pkt. 60¢)			
Early Michigan	.15	.35	1.00	2.90	13.00
Highmoor (Blight Resistant)	.15	.35	1.00	2.90	13.00
Improved Long Green	.10	.30	.85	2.50	11.25
Japanese Climbing	.15	.35	1.00	2.90	
Marketer	.15	.32	.90	2.60	11.50
Serpent or Snake	.20	(Jumbo Pkt. 50¢)			
Straight-8	.10	.30	.85	2.50	11.25
White Wonder	.15	.35	1.00	2.90	
Burgess' Pickle Blend	.10	.30	.85	2.50	11.25
Chicago Pickling	.10	.22	.65	1.95	8.75
Everbearing	.10	.25	.75	2.25	10.25
Heinz Special	.10	.27	.80	2.40	10.75
National Pickling	.10	.27	.80	2.40	10.75
Lemon	.15	.50	1.50		
West India Gherkin	.15	.35	1.00	2.90	
All-Purpose Mixture	.15	.32	.90		

## BURGESS' PICKLE BLEND

Best pickling varieties in correct proportion to produce maximum yields of uniform, symmetrically shaped, dark colored pickles. Each variety is a pure strain grown separately, after which the seed is mixed to secure proper cross-pollination, resulting in first generation hybrid pickles. Their vigor, productiveness and uniform quality follows by the same principle used in hybrid seed corn and other hybrids.

## EVERBEARING

The Earliest Pickler

52 days. Extremely prolific. If fruits are kept picked, it will continue to bear until frost. Fruits dark green; average 4 to 5 inches in length. Excellent for small pickles.

## National Pickling

55 days. Rich dark green; straight, rather blunt at each end. Can be used when quite small or when larger for dills.

## Heinz Special

56 days. An improved type of pickling cucumber. Highly priced for fancy pickles. Shorter and earlier than Chicago Pickling, and more uniform in size, shape and color.

## Chunk Pickles

For making chunk pickles, we recommend Improved Long Green.



West India Gherkin

## West India Gherkin

60 days. Small, oval-shaped, prickly fruit; used exclusively for pickling; very prolific.

## Grow Your Own DILL

Used in making "Dill Pickles." (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.50) postpaid.

## Chicago Pickling

58 days. The standard pickling variety. Very prolific.

# NORTHERN-GROWN PEAS

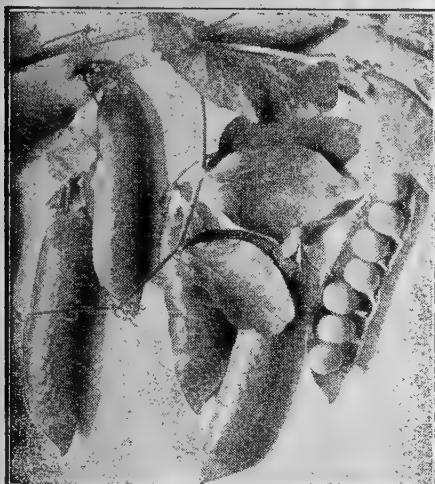
One Pint of Seed for 50 Feet of Row—  
120 to 180 lbs. per Acre

## Burgess' DROUGHT-PROOF PEA

(Wilt-Resistant)

Laughs at Drought, Smiles at Rain

**BURGESS' Drought-Proof.** 70 days. Will do well under a wider range of weather and soil conditions than any other variety. It will grow a crop during the driest, hottest summer months, at a time other varieties would be a failure. If it rains and the soil is kept moist, it will produce as large a crop as any variety we know of; if it doesn't rain, and it gets hot and dry, you will get a crop anyway. Vines medium height with stout, fleshy stems that can take the dry weather and keep the pods up off the ground. Pods medium green, 4¼ inches long, and contain 7 to 9 large, sweet and tender peas.



Burgess' Drought-Proof

### LAXTON'S PROGRESS

63 days. The largest podded of the Laxtonian family and the leading early shipping variety. Fine for canning and freezing. Vines dwarf. Pods dark green, 4½ inches long, and contain 7 to 9 large, dark green peas of the best quality.

### THOMAS LAXTON

(Dark Podded)

62 days. One of the sweetest and finest home garden varieties. Excellent for freezing, shipping and canning. One of the most productive peas. Vines tall. Pods very dark green, 3½ inches long, and contain 6 to 8 large, dark green peas of choicest quality.

### ALASKA (Wilt-Resistant)

56 days. Standard extra-early, smooth-seeded variety. Used extensively for canning and early planting. Vines medium height. Pods light green 2½ inches long, and contain 6 to 8 small, round, light green peas of fair quality.

### PREMIUM GEM

A New Home Garden Pea

64 days. One of the finest new home garden peas; good for canning and wonderful for eating fresh. Dark green, medium early, highly productive, with 20" vines, holding a heavy set of pods containing 6 to 7 peas of excellent quality.

### AMEER (Wilt-Resistant)

Earliest Large-Podded Pea

58 days. A money maker for the market gardener and fine for the home gardener wanting a Large-Podded Alaska. Produces a heavy crop and may be harvested all at one time. Vines medium height. Pods medium green, 3½ inches long, and contain 7 to 8 large, smooth, light green peas of good quality.

### ALDERMAN OR DARK-PODDED

TELEPHONE

(Wilt-Resistant)

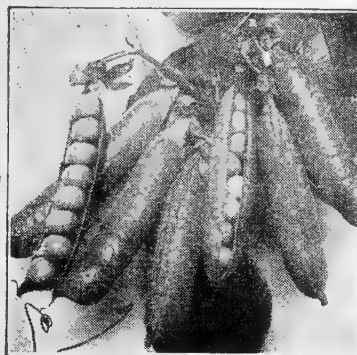
74 days. A large podded, main-crop variety. Fine for the home garden, shipping and freezing. Vines tall. Pods dark green, 4¼ inches long, and contain 8 to 10 large, dark green peas of excellent quality. Extra sweet.

## EDIBLE-PODDED PEAS (Cook Like Snap Beans)

Edible-podded or Sugar Peas are picked when the peas are partly grown. They are prepared like snap beans and have the sweetness and flavor of fresh green peas. When the peas become larger, they are shelled and eaten as regular peas.

### Dwarf Gray Sugar (Wilt-Resistant)

62 days. The earliest of the edible-podded peas. Vines dwarf. Pods light green, 3 inches long and unusually sweet and tender.



Little Marvel

## LITTLE MARVEL

(Finest Early Variety)

64 days. The surest to produce a big crop of exceptionally fine quality peas. Used extensively for early shipping, freezing and canning. Vines dwarf. Pods dark green, 3 inches long, and contain 7 to 8 large, dark green peas of exceptional quality and flavor.

### DWARF TELEPHONE

(Wilt-Resistant)

75 days. A productive main-crop variety for home gardens and shipping. Vines dwarf. Pods light green, 4½ inches long, and contain 7 to 10 large, light green peas of excellent quality.

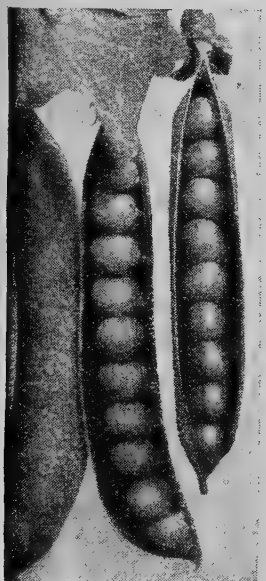
### WYOMING WONDER

(Mammoth-Podded)

74 days. Wilt-Resistant and one of the most valuable main-crop varieties. Used extensively for freezing, canning and home garden. Vines semi-dwarf. Pods dark green, 5" long, and contain 8 to 10 mammoth sized, dark green peas of exceptionally fine flavor. Extra sweet and tender.



Laxton's Progress



Wyoming Wonder

### PRICES

### ALL PRICES PREPAID

	¼ Pt.	Pt.	Qt.	5 Lbs.	Price per lb. for 10 lbs. or more
Alaska (Wilt-Resistant).....	\$0.26	\$0.46	\$0.74	\$1.75	\$0.31
Alderman or Dark-Podded Telephone (W.R.).....	.29	.52	.86	2.00	.36
Ameer (Wilt-Resistant) (Pkt. 15c).....	.31	.56	.94	2.15	.39
Burgess' Drought-Proof (W.R.) (Pkt. 15c).....	.32	.58	.98	2.30	.42
Dwarf Gray Sugar (W.R.) (Pkt. 10c).....	.31	.56	.94	2.20	.40
Dwarf Telephone (Wilt-Resistant).....	.30	.54	.90	2.15	.39
Laxton's Progress.....	.31	.56	.94	2.20	.40
Little Marvel.....	.31	.56	.94	2.20	.40
Mammoth Melting Sugar (W.R.) (Pkt. 15c).....	.33	.60	1.02	2.40	.44
Premium Gem.....	.28	.50	.82	2.00	.36
Thomas Laxton.....	.30	.54	.90	2.10	.38
Wyoming Wonder (W.R.) (Pkt. 15c).....	.32	.58	.98	2.30	.42

# TURNIPS

Turnips and Rutabagas  
One ounce for 200 feet of row;  
1½ to 2 lbs. per acre



Purple Top White Globe

## EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF

Earliest of All

45 days. The standard early variety. Roots broad and flat, of medium size; white, purple top. Extensively sown for table use. (Pkt. 10) (oz. 22c) (¼ lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.40) (5 lbs. \$5.75), prepaid.

## PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE

Choose This One First

55 days. The most popular white Turnip for fall and winter use. Flesh pure white, fine grained and of fine flavor. Heavy yielder and splendid keeper. Desirable for table or stock. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 22c) (¼ lb. 50c) (lb. \$1.40) (5 lbs. \$5.75), prepaid.

## AMBER GLOBE

75 days. The best large yellow late sort. Skin light yellow; flesh, firm and sweet. Fine for table use and stock feeding. A good cropper and keeps in perfect condition until spring. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.30) (5 lbs. \$5.25), prepaid.

## WHITE EGG

55 days. A quick growing, egg-shaped, smooth, pure white variety. Flesh firm, sweet and mild. Adapted to either spring or fall sowing. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.30) (5 lbs. \$5.25), prepaid.

## COW HORN

70 days. 12 to 15 inches long by 3 inches across; grows partly above ground; white, sweet, of fine flavor. Valuable as a soil enricher. Can be sown broadcast on stubble ground, will grow on poor, wornout soil, and if plowed under will enrich it as much as a crop of clover. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.30) (5 lbs. \$5.25), prepaid.

## FOLIAGE OR SHOGGIN

(Edible Top Turnip)

High in Vitamin C and Calcium as well as a fair supply of Vitamin A, G, Iron and B.

30 days. Edible tops and roots. Will grow and thrive in hot, dry weather, giving an abundance of both greens and sweet, tender turnips of excellent quality. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.30) (5 lbs. \$5.25), prepaid.

# RUTABAGA

## AMERICAN PURPLE TOP YELLOW

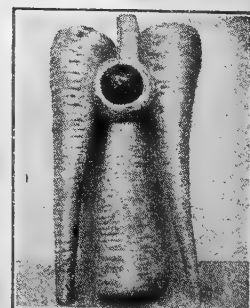
90 days. The best all-around variety. The flesh is yellow and of fine flavor. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.30) (5 lbs. \$5.25), prepaid.

# PARSNIP

One ounce to 150 feet of row; 4 to 6 lbs. per acre.

## HOLLOW CROWN

Parsnips contain a good supply of Vitamin B<sub>1</sub> and potassium, also a fair amount of Vitamins C and G. Our seed is grown from selected stock and is extra fine. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) (lb. \$1.75) (5 lbs. \$7.75) prepaid.



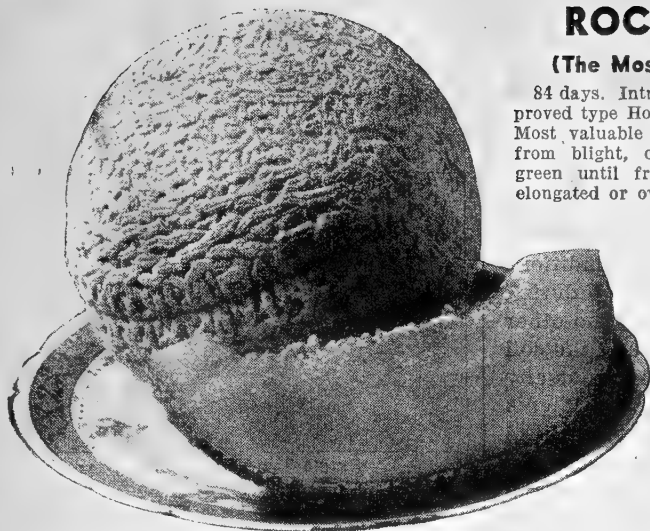
## INOCULATION

of seed hastens maturity, increases the yield and enriches the soil. Nitragin Inoculator for Peas only, 100 lb. size, inoculates up to 100 lbs. seed, 50c, postpaid.

Garden Size. Good for Beans, Peas and Sweet Peas. Sufficient for 6 lbs. of seeds, 15c, postpaid.

Burgess Seed & Plant Co.





## ROCK O'HONEY

(The Most Productive Melon)

84 days. Introduced by us in 1941. An improved type Honey Rock, distinctly superior. Most valuable characteristic is its freedom from blight, causing the vines to remain green until frost. The fruits are slightly elongated or oval in shape and will average 5" across and 7" long. The skin remains gray-green at maturity and is well covered with a coarse netting.

The flesh is much deeper than Honey Rock and the fruits are heavy and very solid, making it an ideal shipping sort. Since its introduction, we have been able to fix in Rock O'Honey a high percentage of female flowers. This allows more fruits to set and makes it the most productive melon.

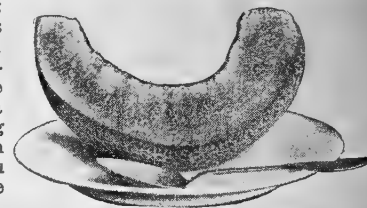
# MUSKMELONS

One Ounce of Seed for 50 Hills—3 Lbs. per Acre

All our seed is resistant to disease and TREATED for your additional protection.

## LAKE CHAMPLAIN—The Earliest One

78 days. Our Special Michigan-grown seed of this variety produces ripe fruits ahead of any other melon, giving you a crop ahead of competitors and netting you the top market price. The flesh is deep, very sweet and melting, of golden yellow color; a medium sized melon; nicely netted. The plant is very vigorous and healthy, setting and ripening melons even under adverse conditions. It is not a long distance shipping melon, but is of high quality and will give you the earliest melons for the local market.



## HALE'S BEST

The Big Money Maker

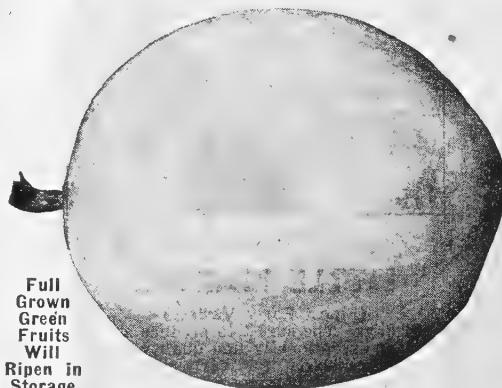
80 days. Our special stock of Hale's is only a few days later than Lake Champlain. Can be shipped clear across the country or trucked a great distance and reach the

customers in the best of condition. One of the best yielding varieties. The large Western melon growers grow more Hale's than any other variety. Fruits are oval, 6½ in. long and 5 in. in diameter; inconspicuous ribbing with very heavy netting. Flesh extremely thick, salmon-orange, sweet and of very fine quality. Our strain is grown in Michigan, and we do not believe there is any question about its being earlier than and superior to any other stock of Hale's.



## VINE PEACH or MANGO MELON

90 days. Fine for canning, preserves and marmalade. The fruit is about the size of a large peach, and can be used in every way in which a peach can be used, except that it is not usually liked raw. A jar of these fruits cut in halves and cooked in syrup presents a beautiful and tempting appearance. Easily grown in any garden; wonderfully prolific.



Full Grown Green Fruits Will Ripen in Storage

## HONEY DEW

Smooth, ivory colored skin; flesh green, thick, tender, and the juiciest and sweetest of all muskmelons. A late melon, requiring 100 to 115 days. Prefers a warm dry climate. A good shipper; will keep good for months, if kept in a cool, dry place. Full grown fruits that do not ripen on the vines before the fall frosts can be picked and will ripen in storage.



## New! GOLDEN DELIGHT

1952 All-America Winner

A large, broad, oval melon of the Pride of Wisconsin type but larger and earlier. Very thick salmon flesh and finest flavor in its class. Perfect for home garden or local market, but does not ship well. Produces high quality yields under adverse weather conditions.

## MUSKMELON SPECIAL!

1 Pkt. Bender's Surprise 1 Pkt. Lake Champlain  
1 Pkt. Rock O'Honey (The Earliest One)  
All 3 Packets only 35c Prepaid

## BANANA MUSKMELON

92 days. This melon surpasses all others in its delicious flavor. The flesh (the melon being nearly solid) is of a rich salmon. The quality is excellent when the melon is thoroughly ripe. 18 to 36 inches in length; very prolific. Exceptionally sweet, spicy and delicious. Don't fail to try it.



## Pride of Wisconsin

Delicious—Attractive—Productive

86 days. Our special Michigan-grown strain of this variety is earlier and is extra fine. The oval fruits are 5½ in. across and 7 in. long. They are slightly ribbed and covered with coarse netting. The orange flesh is thick and of fine flavor. Suitable for short distance shipping.

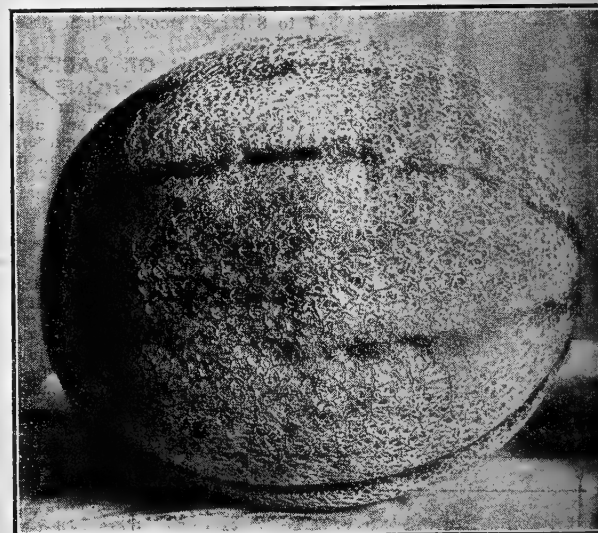
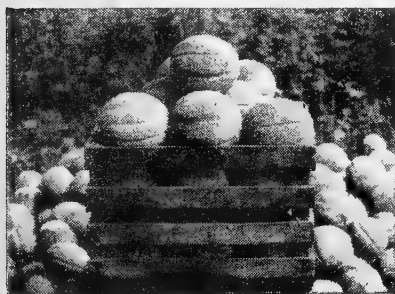


## Improved HEARTS of GOLD

90 days. Improved Hearts of Gold, which was introduced by us in 1945, is a great improvement over the old type. It is larger in size, with thicker meat, and has the same superior quality and flavor of the old strain. The fruits average 6x7 in. and weigh 5 lbs. each. Flesh deep orange, extremely thick, fine grained and very sweet and melting.

Home Garden Mixture

A seed mixture composed of varieties of muskmelons listed on this page and a few others from our trial grounds, which we haven't yet placed on the market.



## BENDER'S SURPRISE

The Best Large Size Muskmelon

90 days. Exquisitely fine flavor, large size and medium earliness combine to make this melon a great favorite. Many weigh 10 lbs. or more; oval in shape; light green with coarse netting, and turn a golden tint as they mature. Flesh deep orange, very thick and deliciously sweet. Keeps a week after picking, and actually improves in flavor. We know of no other large Muskmelon that will equal Burgess' Special Strain of Bender's Surprise for either the market or the home garden.

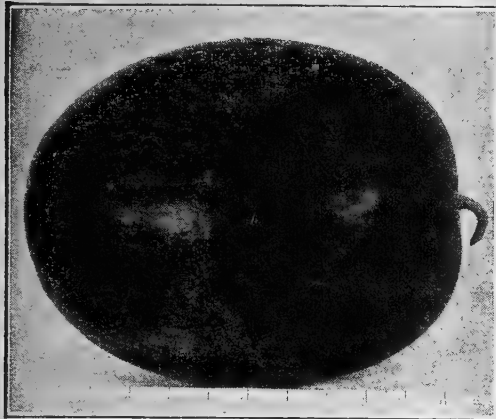
Muskmelon Seeds Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Banana	\$0.15	\$0.35	\$0.90	\$2.55	\$10.00
Bender's Surprise	.10	.30	.80	2.25	
Golden Delight	.25				
Hale's Best	.10	.30	.80	2.25	10.00
Honey Dew	.15	.35	.90	2.25	
Improved Hearts of Gold	.10	.30	.80	2.25	10.00
Lake Champlain	.15	.35	.90	2.55	11.50
Mango Melon (Vine Peach)	.15	.35	.90		
Pride of Wisconsin	.10	.30	.80	2.25	10.00
Rock O'Honey	.15	.40	1.00	2.85	13.00
Home Garden Mixture	.15	.35	.90	2.55	



# WATERMELON

One Oz. for 25 Hills—4 Lbs. per Acre. Michigan-Grown Burgess Watermelon is best for all climates.



## NORTHERN SWEET

Early Icebox Melon

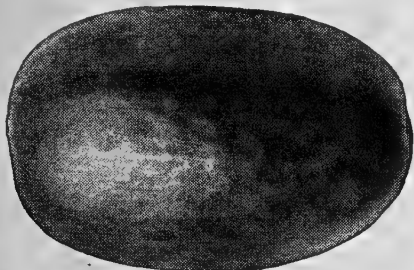
68 days. Earliest Melon. This Early Ice-Box-Size Watermelon weighs only 15 lbs., and is the earliest watermelon. Fruits are nearly round, medium green with dark green stripes; rind very thin. Flesh very deep red, crisp, sweet, and delicious; seeds light brown. Ideal for home garden and local truckers.



## TOM WATSON

No White Heart

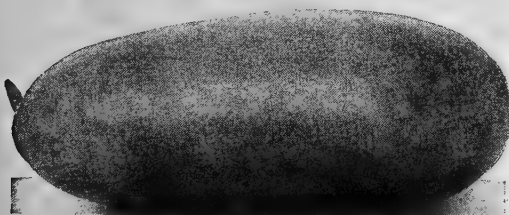
88 days. The improved "Cut-Red" or "Red-Heart" strain has no white heart. The handsome, dark green rind is thin, but hard and tough, so is unsurpassed as a market sort. The melons are usually 20 to 24" in length and 10 to 12" through, averaging 40 lbs. each. A good yielder and a great money maker in all markets. Flesh dark red, firm and of excellent quality.



## KLONDIKE—Sweetest of All

Early Long One

78 days. One of the best early melons. They are oblong, of an even dark green color, and usually weigh 25 lbs. Flesh is deep red, exceptionally crisp and tender, as well as most delicious in flavor. The seeds are small, black, with brown markings. Our strain of this melon is an exceptionally heavy yielder and gives excellent satisfaction in the North.



## Improved Kleckley Wilt-Resistant

A wilt-resistant strain of Kleckley's Sweet that will grow and thrive on wilt-sick soil. It retains all the superb qualities of the old reliable Kleckley's Sweet or Monte Cristo. The attractive, oblong melons will average 30 lbs. The rich, glossy, dark green rind is tougher than Kleckley's Sweet, making it a better shipper. The flesh is bright red, crisp, tender and deliciously sweet and melting.

## New Hampshire Midget

Smallest of All

65 days. An "ice-box" type, with small 2 to 6 lb. fruit, and brown seeds. Thin rind and strawberry-red flesh. Very prolific light green melon with dark green stripes. Delicious flavor.



## GOLDEN HONEY

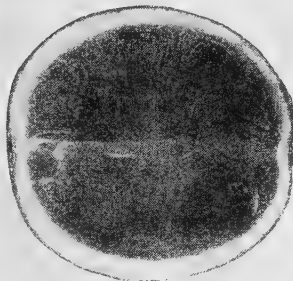
A Delicious Yellow-Fleshed Watermelon

85 days. Flesh of rich golden color, firm, crisp and glistening, sweet as honey, and fairly melts in your mouth. No hard core or stringiness. Fruits oblong, dark green with darker green stripes and average 20 lbs.

## WINTER WATERMELON

The Long-Keeper

90 days. A home grown melon for your Thanksgiving dinner. It is not a citron or a freak, but a very prolific long-keeping true Watermelon. Flesh red, extremely firm, very brittle and deliciously sweet. Fruits taken from the field before killing frost and stored in a cool place will keep long into the late fall and early winter and retain their delicious sweetness and flavor.



## SEEDLESS

The Wonder of Wonders!

We can hardly believe it either, but it's true—A SEEDLESS WATERMELON. A 10 to 12 lb. light bright green melon, with amazingly red and sweet flesh and NO SEEDS. This amazing hybrid is expensive, but surely worth it.

## CONGO

A new outstanding melon developed by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. It is a long, medium thick melon with slick green appearance and darker green stripes. Anthracnose resistant, even in wet weather. Beautiful red deep heart, medium size, white seeds with brown smears. Excellent shipper, good for home garden.

## STONE MOUNTAIN

88 days. Stone Mountain is a large, round, medium dark green, high quality melon. Flesh highly colored, very solid, with fewer seeds than most varieties. The fruits average 35 pounds. The rind is tough enough to stand handling for nearby markets, but will not stand long distance shipping. Seeds white with black tips. It produces an abundant crop and can be grown successfully on all types of soil.

## CITRON

90 days. Preserving Melon—Flesh white and solid. Used exclusively for making preserves and candied fruit.

## TRIAL-GROUNDS MIXTURE

Just right for those who want some of all the different Watermelons. A fine mixture of the varieties listed in this catalog and a few others from our trial grounds, which we haven't placed on the market.

## WATERMELON BARGAIN!

- 1 Pkt. Northern Sweet
- 1 Pkt. Imp. Kleckley's Wilt Resistant
- 1 Pkt. Dixie Queen
- 1 Pkt. New Hampshire Midget

All 4 Pkts. only 50c  
Prepaid



Jumbo Watermelon

## 100 LB. JUMBO

State Fair Melon

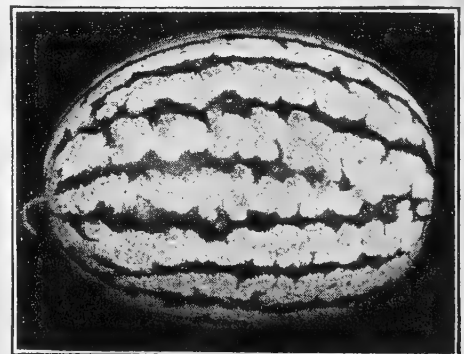
90 days. State Fair Melon—Introduced by us in 1941. Grow some of these giant Watermelons and win some prizes at your State or County Fair. More prizes for large melons have no doubt been won with Jumbo than with all other varieties of Watermelons combined. With rich soil and good care, mammoth size melons can be produced wherever ordinary melons can be successfully grown. The dark green oval fruits will average 50 lbs., but melons weighing 100 lbs. have been grown. The rind is hard and tough and will ship long distances. The deep red flesh is firm, sweet and of the finest quality. Seeds large, dark brown.

## Watermelon Seeds Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices

	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Citron.....	\$0.10	\$0.25	\$0.70	\$1.90	
Congo.....	.20	.45	1.15	3.20	\$15.00
Dixie Queen.....	.15	.35	.90	2.50	11.25
Golden Honey.....	.10	.25	.70	1.90	
Improved Kleckley Wilt-Resistant..	.10	.25	.70	1.90	8.50
Jumbo.....	.15	.35	.90	2.50	11.25
Klondike.....	.15	.35	.90	2.50	11.25
New Hampshire Midget	.20	.50	1.25	3.50	
Northern Sweet.....	.15	.30	.80	2.20	9.75
Seedless.....	(10 Seeds 50c)	(30 Seeds	\$1.25)		
Stone Mountain.....	.10	.25	.70	1.90	8.50
Tom Watson.....	.10	.25	.70	1.90	8.50
Winter.....	.10	.30	.80	2.20	9.75
Trial-Grounds Mixture.....	.15	.35	.90	2.50	

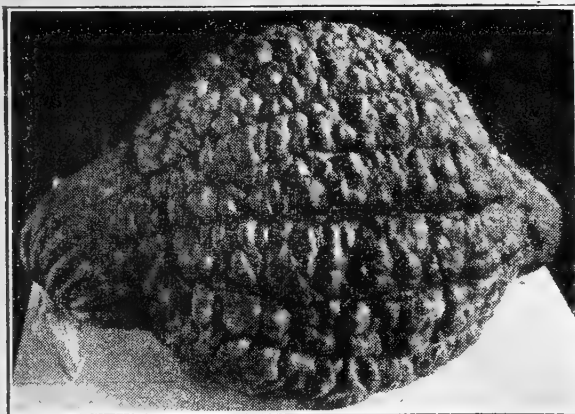
## Michigan Grown DIXIE QUEEN

80 days. Our Michigan grown seed of this melon, like all other varieties, is better than Southern grown seed for planting either in the North or the South, for it produces EARLIER MELONS of the very best quality.



Dixie Queen is a very prolific second-early variety used extensively for shipping, and is rapidly gaining popularity for the home garden. Fruits are oval-round, light green with dark green stripes, of medium size but often growing to a larger size and weighing as high as 40 pounds. Rind is thin, but tough. The bright red flesh is crisp, sweet and practically free from fiber, and the few seeds are small and white.

# MICHIGAN GROWN WINTER SQUASH SEED



Warty Hubbard Squash

## WARTED HUBBARD

105 days. Our stock of this variety is extra select, uniform in shape and very warty. An extra good keeper and will average 14 lbs.

## GOLDEN OR RED HUBBARD

95 days. Fruits orange-red and average 8 lbs. The flesh is drier than the other Hubbards, which makes it exceptionally fine for pies, freezing and canning.

## TRUE HUBBARD

100 days. Our improved Strain of this old standard is earlier and most uniform. Fruits green and pointed at both ends. Will average 10 lbs. Ideal for storage and shipping, as well as for freezing.

## UCONN—Bush Table Queen

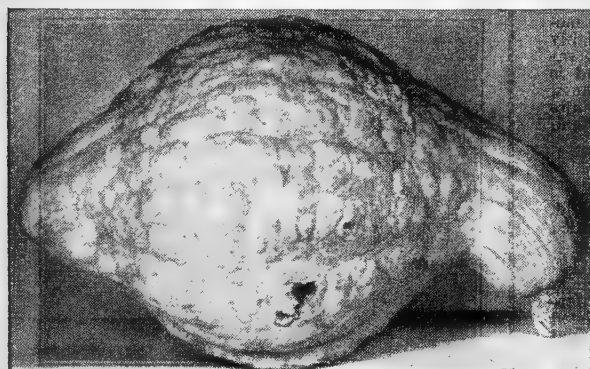
Most remarkable of the new squash varieties. A bush type of Acorn that occupies only 3 x 3 ft. of space; and a dual type that can be eaten as a summer squash or held for winter keeping. It has a rich, meaty, delicious flavor when eaten early or late. Ideal for the home garden, but because of good keeping qualities, good for market, too. Highly productive; easily grown. Don't pass up this new one.

## BANANA

105 days. One of the finest of all Squashes; 2 to 3 feet in length; a great yielder and a good keeper. Will produce a crop where other winter squashes do not succeed.

## WINTER SQUASH MIXTURE

A mixture made up especially for those who have a limited space and want several varieties of Winter Squash.



Blue Hubbard Squash

## BLUE HUBBARD

105 days. Fruits average 12 lbs., blue-gray in color and pointed at both ends. The thick orange flesh is fine grained and superior in flavor to the other Hubbard varieties. Our select stock will meet the most critical market grower's requirements.

One ounce to 10 hills; 2 to 3 lbs. per acre.

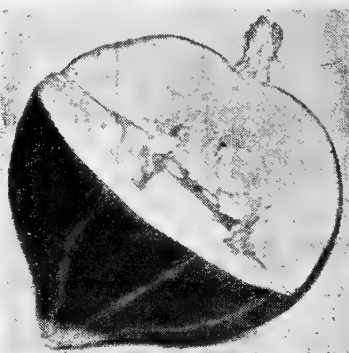
Squash growing is one of our specialties. It is rather difficult to keep squash varieties in line, and we spend considerable time and money in producing the finest strains. The Squash listed on this page send out runners, and sufficient space should be provided for their growth. The fruits are usually eaten after they are fully matured, but are fine when picked real young and prepared like summer squash. The mature fruits can be stored in a dry cool place for winter use, or they may be steamed and frozen.

## BUTTERNUT

95 days. This variety is more resistant to disease and to the squash bug than the other varieties. Fruits are 10" to 12" long, and are bottle shaped. The neck is 4" in diameter and is solid flesh. The small seed cavity is located in the base of the fruit. The skin is buff colored and the flesh is light yellow, extremely firm, dry and fine grained. Will average 4 lbs. It is a good keeper and is fine for pies and delicious when baked or boiled.

## TABLE QUEEN OR ACORN

85 days. The most convenient size for baking and serving in the shell. The fruit is dark green, deeply ribbed and will average 5 inches long and 4 inches in diameter. Flesh deep yellow, dry, sweet and of delicious flavor. When picked about half grown and cooked like summer squash, it is extremely fine. An enormous yielder and a good winter keeper.

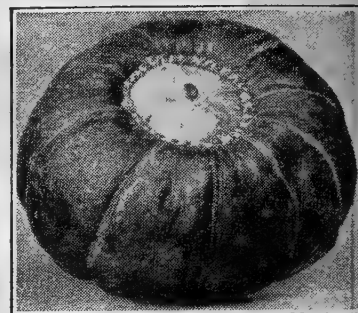


Delicious Squash

## DELICIOUS

Sweet, Rich Flavor

98 days. Unsurpassed for sweetness, richness of flavor and extraordinary quality. Excellent for fall and winter use; keeps well into the winter. Fruits usually weigh 7 lbs.; rind dark green, mottled in lighter shades; dark orange flesh; very thick and fine grained.



Buttercup Squash

## BUTTERCUP

96 days. A variety of superb quality, developed at the North Dakota Experiment Station. The squashes weigh between 3 and 5 pounds and have thin, tough, green skin. There are no strings or fiber and the deep, rich orange flesh is untinged with green. It is a squash of excellent flavor, very sweet; the texture smooth and comparatively dry. Many who have tried it pronounce it to be the best squash they have ever tasted. (See front cover for Bush Buttercup Squash.)

## Vegetable Spaghetti

Spaghetti on a Vine in Nature's Own Package.

This delicious vegetable from Asia thrives in all climates and in any ordinary garden soil. Each plant produces from six to ten beautiful bright yellow, oblong fruits about 8 to 10 inches long. Each fruit is filled with a delicious spaghetti-like pulp. When fully ripe the rind is deep yellow in color and the fruits are ready for cooking. Cook the whole fruit (without cutting or peeling) 20 minutes in boiling water; then cut it in



half. Remove seeds from center, the same as from a squash; then, with a fork pull the spaghetti-like contents from the shell. A dishful of this delicious vegetable spaghetti comes out of each fruit. Season with salt, pepper and butter and serve hot. Can also be served hot with catsup or tomato sauce or served cold, as a salad, with mayonnaise or French dressing. This vegetable is also delicious fried like egg plant when small and tender. Can be stored for fall and early winter use. This remarkable vegetable is most valuable as well as a novelty.

## Squash Seeds Prepaid at the Following Prices

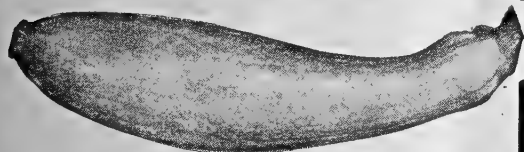
WINTER SQUASH VARIETIES	Packet	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Banana	\$0.10	\$0.32	\$0.80	\$2.30	\$10.25
Blue Hubbard	.10	.30	.75	2.15	9.50
Bush Buttercup	.25	(Jumbo Pkt. 60c)			
Buttercup	.15	.38	1.00	2.90	13.25
Butternut	.15	.38	1.00	2.90	13.25
Delicious	.10	.30	.75	2.15	9.50
Golden Hubbard	.10	.30	.75	2.15	9.50
Table Queen	.10	.22	.60	1.65	7.25
True Hubbard	.10	.28	.70	2.00	8.75
Uconn	.15	.35	.90	2.50	11.25
Warty Hubbard	.10	.30	.75	2.15	9.50
Vegetable Spaghetti	.15	.35	.90	2.50	
SUMMER SQUASH VARIETIES					
Early Prolific Straightneck	.10	.25	.65	1.80	7.75
Early Summer Crookneck	.10	.22	.60	1.65	7.25
Early White Bush Scallop	.10	.22	.60	1.65	7.25
Zucchini, Black	.10	.25	.65	1.80	7.75
Summer Squash Mixture	.10	.25	.65	1.80	
Winter Squash Mixture	.10	.30	.75	2.15	



# SUMMER SQUASH | Select RADISH (MICHIGAN GROWN)

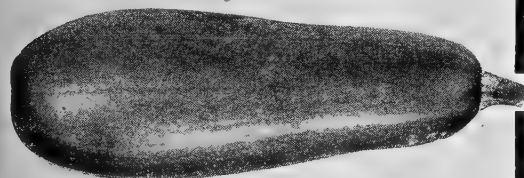
One ounce to 25 hills; 3 to 4 lbs. per acre

Bush Summer Squash is a popular vegetable and is gaining in popularity as more gardeners are learning when to harvest and how to prepare for the table. They are of easy culture and require only a small space in the garden. If the fruits are kept picked, they will continue to bear all summer. Early White Bush should be picked when only 1½ to 2" across and the other varieties should be picked before they reach 7" in length for the best eating. They should be boiled whole until tender. After draining, the surplus water should be pressed out of them. Add seasoning to taste, plus a generous portion of butter, and mash. Early Prolific Straightneck is good to larger sizes and is the best variety for slicing and frying.



**Early Prolific Straightneck**  
Productive to Frost

50 days. Productive from the time the first fruits are formed until killed by frost. It is strictly bush in habit of growth, which permits close planting. The beautiful clear yellow fruits are smooth and straight. They are firm and in fine condition at any length from four to fourteen inches. It is equally suitable for the home or market gardener. The uniformly straight fruits are convenient for packing and shipping. The table quality is unsurpassed by any of the summer squashes.



**BLACK ZUCCHINI**

62 days. This is an increasingly popular bush squash which belongs to the vegetable marrow family. The fruits are of a blackish green color; grow long and slender, but should be picked when but a few days old, when 5 to 6 inches in length. They are very tender, and a table delicacy. Fine when boiled or cut in slices and fried in butter. Also delicious when cut lengthwise and baked with a strip of bacon on each piece.

**Early White Bush Scallop (Patty Pan)**

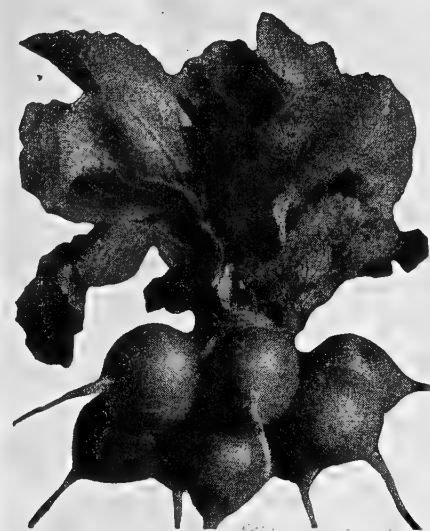
52 days. Very productive; a favorite with market gardeners. Best for eating when only 2 inches across and sold as the "Dollar Squash" on some markets.

**Early Summer Crookneck**  
Most Popular Crookneck

52 days. The most popular of the Crookneck varieties. Should be picked when only a few inches long, as it becomes stringy when larger. Exceedingly prolific and popular for home gardens as well as shipping.

## Summer Squash Mixture

A choice seed mixture of all kinds of Summer Squashes. This is your opportunity to try them all for the price of one.



Saxa

**Earliest Radish Grown**  
**SAXA**

18 to 20 Days

We have found this radish to be earlier than any of the other so-called earliest sorts. The best extra early variety for forcing, and for growing in the open ground it has no superior. Round, bright scarlet in color and has a very small top and taproot. Flesh pure white, crisp, brittle, mild and juicy. The Saxa is one of the slowest to shoot to seed.



Burgess' Special Scarlet Globe

## ENDIVE

One Ounce of Seed  
for 150 Feet of Row

**GREEN CURLED.** One of the most refreshing of all salads. May be grown any season of the year, but is more generally planted for early spring or late fall crops. Plants grow 17" across. The leaves are fringed and are a rich green in color; but blanch to creamy white in the center. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) prepaid.

**WHITE CURLED.** Quite similar to Green Curled, but more easily blanched to pure white in the center. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) prepaid.

**BATAVIAN FULL HEART.** Foliage broad and flat—deep green leaves with thick midrib, that is exceedingly palatable when well blanched. Stands dry weather better than any other sort. We believe this variety is unsurpassed for salad when blanched by an experienced gardener, but is more generally used cooked like Kale or Spinach or as flavoring for soups, stews, etc. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 60c) prepaid.

One ounce of seed for 100 feet of row

### CRIMSON GIANT

28 days. A fine, large, bright red radish which differs from most others in that the roots attain a larger size without becoming pithy. Sweet, crisp, juicy, brittle; finest quality.

### EARLY SCARLET GLOBE

22 days. A popular early round radish which is recommended for both forcing and outdoor planting. Color rich scarlet.

### FRENCH BREAKFAST

25 days. Oblong shaped; red, white tipped. Of quick growth and excellent quality.

### ICICLE

27 days. The best long white Radish; mild and sweet. A favorite with market gardeners and for the home garden. Roots 6" long.

### SPARKLER

26 days. A favorite in all markets, owing to its fine appearance. Handsome scarlet color with bottom third white. One of the best second-early round varieties for outdoor sowing; excellent quality.

## BURGESS' SPECIAL Scarlet Globe

22 days. Our Special Market Gardener's Strain of Early Scarlet Globe is unequalled. Specially selected for short top, earliness, true-ness to type and color. Our seed is produced from transplanted roots and is specially milled and screened so that the plump seeds are all one size, which makes even drilling. For the market or home gardener who wants the best, this stock is well worth the additional expense.

### PRIZE MIXTURE

All the leading summer varieties mixed.

## POULTRY RADISH

15 to 25 Lbs. Each

**SAKURAJIMA, or Poultry Radish.** The largest variety of radish in cultivation. Often attains a weight of 15 lbs., and some grow to more than 25 lbs. Nearly round. A great curiosity and a radish of extraordinary quality. Flesh solid, firm and brittle, and of most excellent flavor. A favorite for fall and winter use, and a valuable winter feed for cattle and poultry. Every poultryman should plant some of them.

## WINTER RADISHES

Winter Radishes mature in 50 to 60 days. For winter use, plant in mid-summer and store in moist sand, and fresh, crisp radishes may be had nearly all winter.

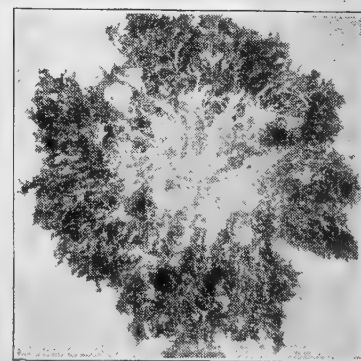
**ROUND BLACK SPANISH.** 3 to 4 inches in diameter; skin black; flesh white, crisp and of the very best quality.

**SCARLET CHINA.** A favorite winter Radish. Roots 5" long and 2" in diameter. Rose color with white flesh.

**WHITE CHINESE, OR CELESTIAL.** The finest of all white winter radishes. 9" long, and about 3" in diameter. The flesh is crisp, juicy and tender; flavor mild and fine.

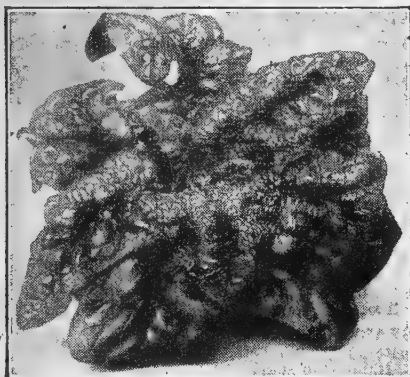
### Radish Seeds Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices:

	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
Burgess' Special Scarlet Globe	\$0.15	\$0.25	\$0.55	\$1.50	\$6.25
Crimson Giant	.10	.20	.45	1.25	
Early Scarlet Globe	.10	.20	.45	1.25	5.00
French Breakfast	.10	.20	.45	1.25	
Iceicle	.10	.20	.45	1.25	5.00
Poultry (Sakurajima)	.15	.35	.70	2.00	
Saxa	.15	.25	.55	1.50	6.25
Sparkler	.10	.20	.42	1.20	
Prize Mixture	.10	.20	.45	1.25	
Winter { Round Blk. Spanish	.10	.25	.55	1.50	
{ Scarlet China	.10	.22	.50	1.35	
{ White Chinese	.10	.22	.50	1.35	



Green Curled Endive

# Burgess DISEASE-TREATED SPINACH



## AMERICA Outstanding New One

We predict that America will soon supplant almost all other Spinach varieties—it is just that outstanding. It grows 6 to 8" high, spreads 10 to 12", and stands longer than any other Spinach. Its glossy, deep medium dark green leaves are broad and roundish. Most important it holds 8 to 14 days longer in the garden. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. 75c) (lb. \$2.00).

## OKRA, or Gumbo

One ounce of seed to 100 feet of row

The pods are boiled as a vegetable, and are extensively used in soups, stews and relishes. They are best when only 2" or 3" long.

**DWARF GREEN LONG POD.** 50 days. Plants only 18" to 24" high with dark green tender pods 7" to 8" long. It is the earliest green-podded variety and is fine for the home garden. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 22c) (¼ lb. 45c) (lb. \$1.35) prepaid.

**PERKIN'S LONG POD.** 55 days. Plants 4' tall with slender pods 7" to 8" long and dark green. The leading market and canning variety. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 40c) (lb. \$1.25) prepaid.

**WHITE VELVET.** 60 days. Plants 3' tall with smooth, creamy white pods 6" to 7" long. Very prolific. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 40c) (lb. \$1.25) prepaid.

## DANDELION

(Improved Thick Leaf)

One Ounce Will Sow 100 Feet of Row

An improved type which should not be confused with the wild Dandelion. It is one of the earliest spring vegetables, and is much prized as a blood purifier and for its other health-giving qualities. The leaves are of a dark green color, but can be blanched by sheltering from light with inverted pots, covering with boards. It remains over winter and is ready for cutting the following spring. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$3.00) prepaid.



## NEW GUINEA BUTTER VINE

The "Jack and the Beanstalk" Bean

Grows to enormous size, one fruit often weighing 15 lbs. and from 3 to 5 feet long. In growth it is similar to the squash, and can be grown in the same manner or trellised up. More productive. The vines are always free from disease and insect pests, and stand neglect and abuse. The fruits should be eaten when small, while the fuzzy growth is yet on. Cook like Squash and fry like Egg Plant. When cut up in small pieces and cooked with cream or fried it is most delicious. "You should recommend them as an ornamental vine. The blooms rival Japanese Iris which they closely resemble, and bloom at a different season. They are night bloomers, too," writes one customer. (Pkt. 15c) (jumbo pkt. 35c) (oz. 60c) prepaid.

One ounce to 100 feet of row; 8 to 10 lbs. per acre in drills

## GIANT THICK LEAVED (Nobel)

45 days. An excellent early spinach that is more long standing than most varieties, grows rapidly; and is the largest spinach grown. Plants 10 inches high and 2 feet across. Large arrow-shaped leaves, rather smooth, only slightly crumpled, very thick, of handsome green color, unusually tender and of finest quality.

## KING OF DENMARK

45 days. A valuable variety which forms compact bushes with round, thick, crumpled leaves of rich dark green color. It remains in good condition longer than most varieties.

## BLOOMSDALE SAVOY, LONG STANDING

42 days. Very attractive, highly crumpled dark green leaves. Resembles the old Savoy, but stands heat better and holds 12 to 14 days longer before throwing seed stalks.

Spinach Seeds Delivered Prepaid at the Following Prices					
	Packet	Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.	5 Lbs.
America.....	\$0.15	\$0.35	\$0.75	\$2.00	.....
Bloomsdale Savoy, Long Standing.....	.10	.20	.30	.90	\$3.50
Giant Thick Lvd. (Nobel).....	.10	.20	.30	.90	3.50
King of Denmark.....	.10	.22	.35	1.00	4.00
New Zealand.....	.10	.30	.60	1.60	.....

## FRENCH ARTICHOKE



An ounce of seed will produce about 500 plants.

**LARGE GREEN GLOBE**—A delicious vegetable which is cultivated for its large

flower-heads, which are cooked like Asparagus. It is considered a delicacy and demands a

high price in all better city markets. The plant is a perennial and set in good soil and given slight winter protection of leaves or straw, will remain in bearing several years, but for best results it should be renewed every two or three years. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.50)

## TOBACCO

One ounce for 5,000 plants

Grow your own Tobacco and have a supply of pure unadulterated natural leaf that has not been "doped" or "doctored."

**CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF.** The leading variety in the Northern States. Can be successfully grown in the far North. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 75c) (¼ lb. \$2.15) prepaid.

**FINE HAVANA.** Extra select strain; large leaf; one of the earliest. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 80c) (¼ lb. \$2.25) prepaid.

**IMPROVED WHITE BURLEY.** Popular variety for chewing. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 70c) (¼ lb. \$2.00) prepaid.

## TAMPALA

A DELICIOUS VEGETABLE FROM CHINA

Tampala is a delicious green vegetable, the leaves of which may be eaten raw or cooked like spinach. Much better than spinach in flavor and in many other respects. Tampala is entirely different in flavor from other vegetables. More food value than either spinach or chard, and so tender the leaves require only five minutes to cook, with only the water that clings to the leaves when washed. Branches 4 to 5" in length may be quickly gathered instead of picking individual leaves. Tampala may be planted early and is usually ready for eating in six weeks after seed is sown. It does well in hot weather and will keep on producing all summer. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) (oz. 90c) prepaid.



## New Zealand or Everbearing (Hot Weather Spinach)

70 days. Not a true Spinach, though similar when cooked. It makes large, spreading plants, with small, thick, pointed, dark green leaves. Only the young leaves and tips of branches are used, and the more they are picked the faster the plant grows. It will give fine greens all summer and fall. Especially suited to dry and arid locations where other varieties do not do well. The only kind that can be successfully grown in extremely hot weather.

## SORREL

One Ounce of Seed for 100 Feet of Row  
LARGE-LEAVED FRENCH or GARDEN

An improved variety which is used for soups, and when cooked like Spinach makes a very palatable dish. It is also fine for salads on account of its pleasant acid flavor. It is ready for use in about 60 days after seed is planted, and the plants will continue in full bearing from 3 to 4 years. Our seed is from the best garden strain, having large, pale green leaves of fine quality. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c) prepaid.



## MUSTARD

One Ounce of Seed to 75 Feet of Row

The large leaves make a most palatable type of greens and possess healthful tonic properties. Preferred by many to Spinach, but should be cut young. Begin sowing seeds as early in the spring as the weather permits and make successive sowings every two weeks.

**GIANT CURLED.** Leaves large, yellowish-green, much crumpled on the edges. The most extensively grown of any variety. Ready for table in about 35 days. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 40c) (lb. \$1.25) prepaid.

## MUSTARD SPINACH or TENDERGREEN

One Ounce of Seed to 75 Feet of Row  
Have Tender Greens in 3 Weeks from Seed

Ready for the table in 3 to 4 weeks after seed is planted. Resistant to insects and blight. The leaves, which are twice the size of Swiss Chard, are mostly used when young. Repeated plantings every two weeks will produce an abundant supply of delicious greens through summer, as well as spring and fall. Resistant to both hot and cold weather, so early and late plantings are possible. The leaves are cooked and prepared the same as Spinach. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 20c) (¼ lb. 35c) (lb. \$1.15) prepaid.



# BULBS

## For Outdoor Spring Planting and Indoor Winter Planting

It is easy to grow flowers from bulbs and the hardy varieties will live for years outdoors. Lift bulbs that are not hardy, per instructions with each order. Note those that bloom easily indoors as house plants. Note availability dates—orders received at other times MUST be held until supply is available.

### MONTBRETIAS

#### Many Blooms on Graceful Spikes

The Montbretia is one of the most floriferous and showy of summer flowering bulbous plants, producing in great numbers, graceful spikes 8 to 12 inches in length, each spike bearing from 18 to 30 exceedingly beautiful star-shaped flowers, 1½ to 2 inches across. Very popular for clumping among perennials and shrubbery, easily grown, and add much to any flower garden. Also highly valued as cut-flowers and can be grown in flowerpots in the house. Montbretias are quite hardy and should be planted early in the spring, preferably in a warm, sunny location. They should be protected during the winter with a heavy covering of leaves, or can be taken up each fall and stored the same as Gladiolus bulbs. Our mixture contains many bright shades of yellow, salmon, orange and scarlet. **Special Mixed**, available from November until June. (3 for 60¢) (6 for \$1.00) prepaid.

### PERUVIAN DAFFODIL

The Peruvian Daffodil (*Pancratium*) is a grand summer flowering bulb, producing with great freedom large Amaryllis-like pure white fragrant blossoms. Keep the bulbs in a dry, warm place, and plant out in June. Bulbs can be taken up in October, and after a few weeks' rest, potted and flowered in the house in the winter or kept over for spring planting again. Bulbs available from January until June. (50¢ each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25) prepaid.

### Sweet Scented TUBEROSE

**EXCELSIOR PEARL TUBEROSE.** One of the most beautiful of the late summer flowering bulbs. Spikes and blooms enormous in size. Very double and fragrant. Available from December until June. (3 for 50¢) (6 for 95¢) (12 for \$1.80) prepaid.

**EARLY FLOWERING TUBEROSE.** Blooms four to six weeks earlier than other Tuberoses. The flowers are on long stems, ten to twenty blossoms to each stalk; snowy white, wax-like petals filling their surroundings with the sweetest fragrance. Available from December until June. (3 for 50¢) (6 for 95¢) (12 for \$1.80) prepaid.

### GOLD BAND

**Auratum.** Immense, fragrant flowers measuring nearly a foot in width when fully expanded. Broad petals, gracefully recurved. White, thickly studded with crimson-maroon spots with wide gold band down center. Available Jan. to June. (45¢ each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85).

### CASCADE

Foundation of this hybrid was an extensive collection of Madonna Lilies, including some unusual French types. Cascade, with its tall straight stems and large flowers of perfect form, is the hybrid of them all. The first great improvement in this fine lily. Available in Fall only. (75¢ each) (3 for \$2.00) (6 for \$3.85).

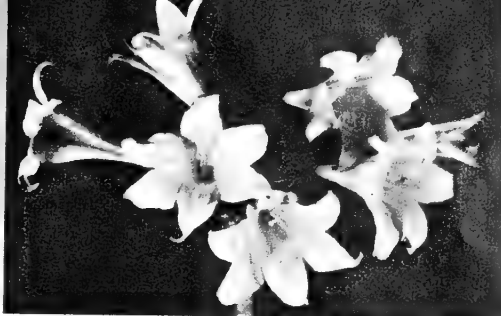
## HARDY LILIES

### PHILIPPINE

White flowers, tinted purple on outside. Up to 10 flowers on a stem in August and thru fall. Delightfully fragrant. Available Nov. to May. (50¢ each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25) (12 for \$4.00).

### REGAL

Large, trumpet-shaped flowers are 4 to 6" in length and white, slightly suffused with pink with yellow at the throat. Available Oct. to May. (45¢ each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85). **SEED (Pkt. 20¢)** (Jumbo Pkt. 50¢).



### HARDY PINK AMARYLLIS

The Amaryllis Belladonna or "Surprise Lily" produces its fragrant rose-pink, lily shaped flowers in umbels on tall stems. Perfectly hardy in Southern Michigan with light winter protection. The foliage completely dies and disappears about July and the flowering stem appears in late summer, almost as a complete surprise. Large blooming size bulbs available from November until June (80¢ each) (3 for \$2.00) (6 for \$3.60) prepaid.



Gloriosa Climbing Lily

### GLORIOSA CLIMBING LILY

The Gloriosa Climbing Lily is a plant of twining habit and when given support will grow to a height of 2 or 3 feet. The flowers are about 4 inches across and shaped like the well-known Japanese lilies. The color is deep red striped with yellow. May be grown in the garden or in pots and usually blooms about two months after planting. Available from September to June. Bulbs (85¢ each) (2 for \$1.50) prepaid.

### COOPERIA or RAIN LILY

Bloom After Rain

The Rain Lily, in its native state, blooms through the summer and fall after nearly every rain. The flowers are 2 to 3 inches across, waxy white with a tinge of pink outside. Borne on 8-inch stems. They flower several times each year. Perfectly hardy for outdoor planting and may also be used as a pot plant. Blooming size bulbs available every month in year. (6 for 80¢) (12 for \$1.50) prepaid.



### COLCHICUM the Wonder Bulb

Nature stores within each bulb the necessary food and moisture to make it bloom. Place the dry bulbs in a bowl or on the table and watch the beauty unfold. Each bulb produces 6 to 12 large crocus shaped flowers in September and October. Plant in garden and leave until July when they may be dug to bloom again indoors. The bulbs come from Holland so orders must reach us by July 1st. We deliver them next August. Mixed Colors only. Order **SINGLE** or **DOUBLE**. (50¢ each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25) prepaid.



### GIANT CRINUM

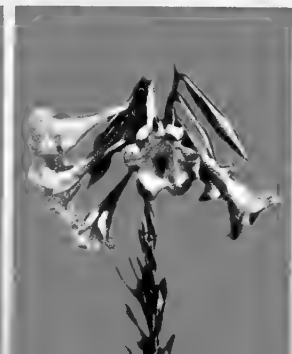
A beautiful, large flowered, member of the Amaryllis family producing large clusters of fragrant, lily shaped flowers on tall stems. The flowers are pure white with a purplish-red stripe through the center of each petal. Succeeds in either pots or open ground but not hardy over winter in the North. Large bulbs available from December until June. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.00) prepaid.

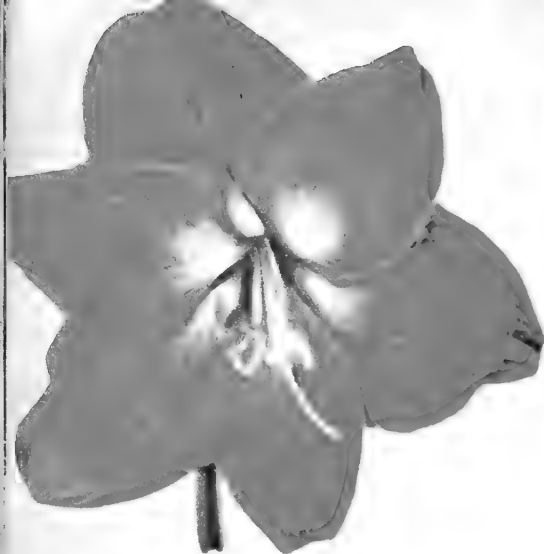
### RAINBOW HYBRIDS

These delightful cup-shaped Lilies stand up straight like Tulips. The colors vary from golden yellow through pink and orange to deepest mahogany-red. You'll probably be the only one in the neighborhood to have one. Mixture of colors only. Available Sept. to May. (60¢ each) (3 for \$1.50) (6 for \$2.75) (12 for \$5.00).

### TIGER

Easiest of all Lilies to grow, thriving on practically any soil. Spotted orange flowers are produced in August on stems 4 to 5' tall. Available Oct. to May. (50¢ each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25).





## GIANT DUTCH AMARYLLIS

No potted plant will attract more attention or give both the amateur and professional grower more pleasure than to see one of our Giant Dutch Hybrid Amaryllis unfold its gigantic blooms. We have thoroughly tested them during the last 2 years and have found them so far superior to any other strain that we recommend them to you as best. They may seem expensive when compared in price to the many cheaper strains offered, but we know you will find them well worth the difference. All produce blooms 6 to 8 inches across and sometimes larger. We have seen 4 and 5 blooms on a 2 foot stem giving a floral display hard to believe.

We offer Giant Dutch Amaryllis (imported bulbs) in the following colors for shipment any time between September and June.

**BRIGHT SOLID RED      ROSE  
SALMON ORANGE  
RED & WHITE STRIPED**

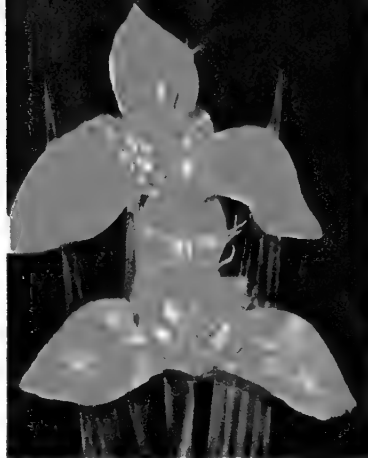
Prices: (\$3.25 each) (2 for \$5.95) (4 for \$10.00) prepaid.

## AMERICAN HYBRID AMARYLLIS

Not so large a bulb or bloom as the Giant Dutch Amaryllis. Its brilliant flowers fairly glow with color. They are 4 to 6" across, with 3 to 4 blooms on a 2 foot stem. Mixed colors only. Available Sept. to June. Bulbs (50c each) (2 for 90c) Prepaid.

## FANCY LEAVED CALADIUMS

No plant in bloom could attract more attention than the foliage of our Caladium. They are indispensable wherever brilliant decorative plants are required. Plant them in window boxes, jardinières, and among ferns or other green leaved plants to add color. They are also suitable for bedding out-of-doors in partial shade. Not hardy but easily stored for use again the following season. Bulbs available from January until June. We especially recommend Fancy Leaved Caladiums planted among your Ferns. Available Jan. to May. Collection of 4 Bulbs, all different, only \$1.00. 3 collections only \$2.50 prepaid.



## TIGRIDIA or AZTEC LILY

Showy, bulbous plants suitable for the mixed border, growing about 18 in. high, bearing erect spikes of large flowers with oddy blotched cup-shaped centers. Few flowers are more gorgeously colored or so beautiful. Bloom from middle of July to September. The bulbs are edible. Easily grown. Planted and handled same as Gladiolus. **Mixed Colors only.** Available from January until June. (3 for 60c) (12 for \$1.95) prepaid.

## SUMMER HYACINTH

The Summer Hyacinth (Galtonia) is a species of Hyacinth. Blooms late in summer. Huge spikes of pure white flowers on stems 3 to 4 feet high. Winter hardy if protected. Blooming size bulbs from November until June. **BULBS** (3 for 50c) (6 for 80c) prepaid.



## The Lovely FAIRY AMARYLLIS

One of the Easiest Bulbs to Grow

The Fairy Amaryllis (Zephyranthes) belongs to the Amaryllis family and is one of the prettiest and easiest grown bulbs. For an effective display, plant several bulbs in a pot. If planted in the garden they flower in great profusion during the summer. Bulbs should be taken up in the fall and treated the same as Gladiolus. Pink, yellow and white flowers sold in mixture of colors only. Available from January until June. (3 for 60c) (6 for \$1.00) (12 for \$1.85) prepaid.



## CALLA LILIES

**BLACK CALLA.** Flowers deep purple, almost black. Blooming size bulbs available from Oct. to May. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95) (6 for \$3.50) prepaid.

**PINK CALLA.** Bright pink flowers and long narrow leaves. One of the most exquisite flowering plants we have ever seen. Sweet scented. Blooming size bulbs available from Nov. until June (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.

**WHITE CALLA.** Old reliable White Calla. Pure white, unusually large, and stiff stems. Blooming size bulbs available from Sept. until May (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

**YELLOW CALLA.** Beautiful pure golden yellow flowers, 4 to 5 ins. broad. Leaves are attractively marked with white spots. Blooming size bulbs available from Nov. until June (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

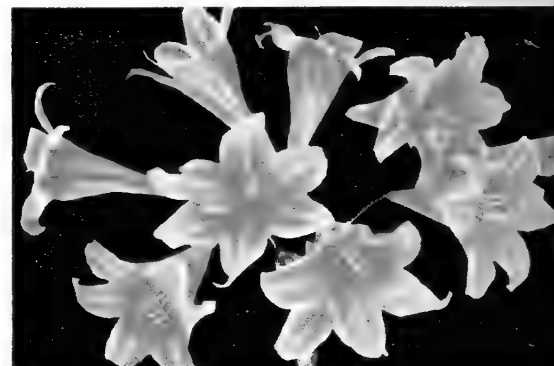


## GLOXINIAS

This is the magnificent Giant-Flowered kind in blue, rose, white, purple and red bell-shaped blooms. These showy flowers are self-colored, spotted or mottled. One of the finest and easiest to handle for house plants and window boxes. **SEED** (Pkt. 35c). **Jumbo Pkt.** 90c) **BULBS** available Jan. to May. Pink, Purple, Red or White 45c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.75).

## ← CALLA COLLECTION

1 bulb each of Black, Pink, White and Yellow, all 4, only \$1.75 prepaid.



## MAGIC LILY

Bloom Appears "as if by Magic"

The Magic Lily, Lycoris Squamigera, is a native of Japan and one of the most beautiful of the Amaryllis family. It produces attractive green foliage in the spring which disappears in midsummer. About a month later, as if by magic, the flower stalk appears, bearing a cluster of 7 to 12 fragrant Lily-like flowers of delicate lilac-pink, with blue shades. Perfectly hardy in the northern States, where it may be left in the ground year after year unmolested. Available Aug. to May. (65c each) (3 for \$1.50).

## ← GIANT ANEMONES

Gorgeous spring flowers, measure 3 to 5 ins. across, and are borne on long stems. Colors range from light blue to brilliant scarlet with all the intermediate colors and white. Excellent cut flowers. Hardy outdoors if covered well during the winter, and fine for growing in the house. Choice mixture of colors. Available the year around. (20 for \$1.00) prepaid.

## RANUNCULUS →

Giant Flowered. Popular cut-flowers with richly colored flowers and simple growing habits. Our Large Flowered Hybrids are by far the largest and finest strain. Full double flowers with a blending of semi-double and single blooms. Measuring two ins. and more across and range in color through all the shades of red, rose, salmon, orange, yellow, etc. Plant outside after the ground thaws, or grow indoors. Choice bulbs available the year around. (20 for \$1.00) prepaid.





**WORLD'S  
FINEST**

# BEARDED IRIS

Out of the hundreds of varieties of Iris we have grown here, our selection of those offered on this page has been based on beauty of color, vigor of growth and ease of culture. You can plant them with assurance that they will grow well and create a rainbow of colors in your garden. All prepaid.



## Large-Flowered IRIS Collection

1—China Maid      1—Orange Flame  
1—Dymia            1—Junaluska  
1—Treasure Island   1—Jake's White  
1 each of all 6 above only \$1.35 prepaid

**AZTEC COPPER**—Delicate copper colors with rich violets. Large flowers, tall stalks. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

**BLUE SHIMMER**—A beautifully soft, clear pattern of blue on white. (60c each) (3 for \$1.35).

**BUFFAWN**—Soft buff-yellow with a pink tinge. (30c each) (3 for 60c).

**CHINA MAID**—Yellow, copper, red and a flash of lilac all blended together. (40c each) (3 for 90c).

**JAKE'S WHITE**—A tall, graceful, purest white. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

**DYMIA**—Deep, rich purple, large blooms on tall stems. (30c each) (3 for 60c).

**ELMOHR**—Huge ruffled flowers, rich mulberry color. (75c each) (3 for \$1.65).

**JUNALUSKA**—A blending of gold, copper-rose and red. (35c each) (3 for 75c).

**MULBERRY ROSE**—A large-flowered "red-pink" or rosy-mulberry. (60c each) (3 for \$1.35).

**OMAHA**—Large, coppery-pink blended with cinnamon-brown. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

**ORANGE FLAME**—Golden orange stands; coppery-red falls. (40c each) (3 for 90c).

**PINK IMPERIAL**—A large, tall grower of orchid-pink. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

**PRAIRIE SUNSET**—Stunning blend of peach, apricot, rose, copper and gold. (75c each) (3 for \$1.65).

**RED DOUGLAS**—Glowing, velvety, wine-red. (90c each) (3 for \$2.25).

**SAN FRANCISCO**—Snowy white with blue edging. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

**SNOWKING**—Pure white with golden throat. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

**TREASURE ISLAND**—A bright yellow softened by lighter tones at the edges. (35c each) (3 for 75c).

## DWARF EARLY IRIS

Begin to bloom in late March or early April, continuing well into May. The plants are so covered with flowers on 6- to 10-inch stems that you scarcely see any foliage.

**BALROUDOUR**—A striking low growing soft violet-blue and olive buff. (35c each) (3 for 75c).

**BLUE SKIES**—Soft, delicate blue. Very early and choice. (30c each) (3 for 65c).

**FAIRY**—Soft, sky blue. (30c each) (3 for 65c).

**JEAN SIRET**—Light yellow, often blooming spring, summer and fall. (25c each) (3 for 60c).

**JUDY**—Nice reddish-purple; larger flowers than most dwarfs. (30c each) (3 for 65c).

**LT. CHAVAGNAC**—It blooms both spring and fall, and sometimes during summer. Best of all. Fragrant. Vivid-violet. (25c each) (3 for 60c).

**SAMBO**—Rich, deep purple. (25c each) (3 for 60c).

**SNOWCAP**—Creamy white with a faint trace of pale blue. (35c each) (3 for 75c).

**SOUND MONEY**—Rich, bright yellow. (25c each) (3 for 60c).

**TAMPA**—Best red dwarf; flowers small but numerous. (25c each) (3 for 60c).

## FALL IRIS "Twice Blooming"

These Iris increase so rapidly that they bloom during the regular season in the spring and again in the fall.

**AUTUMN SPLENDOR**—Rich, deep purple.

**BLACK MAGIC**—Deep blue-violet, almost black. Velvety texture.

**FROST QUEEN**—Glistening white like frost, with reddish beard.

**OCTOBER BLAZE**—Vivid, reddish purple.

**SOUTHLAND**—Very large flowers of clear golden-yellow.

**ULTRA**—Brilliant ultra-marine blue.

(35c each) (3 for 75c) prepaid.  
**FALL IRIS COLLECTION:** 1 each of 6 above only \$1.25 prepaid.

## JAPANESE IRIS →

Largest and richest colors of all Iris. Blossoms 6 to 10 inches across and 3 to 4 blossoms on a stem. Begin blooming after other Iris are gone and continue 5 to 6 weeks. Fine for cutting. Ideal for moist, sunny locations. If planted in dry location, water freely when buds are forming.

Choice mixture of colors ranging from white through varying shades of purple, violet, blue and red with delicate veinings of cream, white, yellow, etc. Mixture of colors only. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.35) prepaid. Seed (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c).



JAPANESE IRIS — Largest and richest colors of all Iris.

# PEONIES for SPRING or FALL PLANTING

## DOUBLE CHINESE PEONIES Shipped from September to May

**DUCHESS de NEMOURS** — Double—large—early. White guard petals with center of light canary yellow. Fragrant. (69c each) (3 for \$1.65) prepaid.

**EDULIS SUPERBA**—Double—medium size—very early. Color, bright old-rose pink. Very fragrant. (69c each) (3 for \$1.65) prepaid.

**FELIX CROUSSE**—Double—large—late. Brilliant crimson. (69c each) (3 for \$1.65) prepaid.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA**—Double—very large—early. White with prominent crimson flakes on the central petals. Fragrant. (69c each) (3 for \$1.65) prepaid.

**KELWAY'S GLORIOUS**—Double—very large—midseason. White with a creamy suffusion and crimson streaks on the guard petals. Roselike fragrance. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**MARY BRAND**—Brilliant dark crimson blooms of perfect form. Free flowering. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50.)

**MONS JULES ELIE**—Double—very large—early. Light rose-pink with a silver sheen. Very free flowering. Fragrant. (75c each) (3 for \$1.85) prepaid.

**MONS MARTIN CAHUZAC**—(The Black Peony). Double—large—midseason. Deep maroon-crimson with a silky, black lustre. The darkest of all Peonies. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

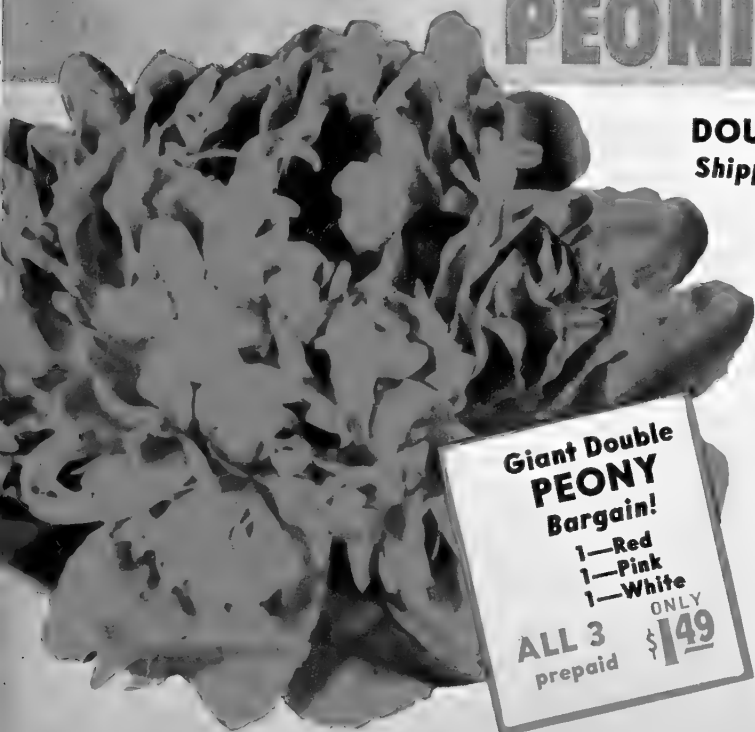
**PHILIPPE REVOIRE**—Double—small—early. Very dark crimson. The world's most perfect red Peony and also the most fragrant. Richly rose-scented. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.00) prepaid.

**WALTER FAXON**—A vivid shell-pink of luminous intensity. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50).

**YELLOW PRIMEVERE** — White guard-petals with an Anemone type crown of canary-yellow. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.00).

## MAY-FLOWERING PEONIES

The May-Flowering Peony is the old-fashioned "Piney" of our grandmother's gardens. It blooms in late May and the large double flowers are produced in abundance in plenty of time for Decoration Day. **RED, WHITE, or PINK.** (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.



**Giant Double  
PEONY  
Bargain!**

1—Red  
1—Pink  
1—White

ALL 3  
prepaid  
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\$1.49

Burgess Seed & Plant Co., Galesburg, Michigan

# Glamorous Gladiolus

**GIANT  
Flowering**

**Giant  
Size  
Bulbs**

Among the thousands of Glad varieties in our trial grounds each year, we select 25 as outstanding to present to Burgess customers. All bulbs are Giant size, the kind that will be sure to bloom for you.

**ABU HASSAN**—Clear, dark blue on tall, straight spikes. Most popular blue. Early. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.65).

**BLUE BEAUTY**—Medium blue shaded darker at edges; large, wide open flowers. Early midseason. (3 for 35c) (6 for 60c) (12 for \$1.10).

**BURMA**—Deep rose, ruffled blooms; 7 to 10 open together on medium tall plants. Early midseason. (3 for 40c) (6 for 70c) (12 for \$1.30).

**CORONA**—Creamy-white with rose margins; large; midseason. In great demand. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**ELIZABETH THE QUEEN**—Beautiful lavender with darker lines in the throat; 7 to 8 wide open flowers at a time. Midseason. This is the finest lavender. (3 for 35c) (6 for 60c) (12 for \$1.10).

**GEN. EISENHOWER**—Bright, clear tint of begonia pink; large flowers on tall stems open over a long period. In great demand by cut-flower growers and bids fair to become one of the top favorites of all time. (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.65).

**GOLD DUST**—Deep yellow; very early. A stand-by with commercial cut flower growers. (3 for 25c) (6 for 40c) (12 for 75c).

**LAVENDER RUFFLES**—Beautiful, clear lavender pink with ruffled petals. Early. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**LEADING LADY**—A rich ivory-white, with perfect large flowers. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**MANSOER**—A brilliant cardinal red—bright as a fire engine. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**MARGARET BEATON**—Snow white, lit up with orange-scarlet at the throat. Early mid-season. (3 for 25c) (6 for 40c) (12 for 75c).

**NEW EUROPE**—Bright geranium-red; a sport of Picardy. (3 for 25c) (6 for 40c) (12 for 75c).

**PHANTOM BEAUTY**—Clear, light pink; very floriferous and a money maker for the cut-flower trade. Midseason. (3 for 40c) (6 for 70c) (12 for \$1.30).

**PICARDY**—Salmon pink; large florets. Clean stock of this great, midseason favorite. (3 for 25c) (6 for 40c) (12 for 75c).

**PURPLE SUPREME**—Bright purple; tall, straight spikes. Midseason. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**RED STOPLIGHT**—Clear, brilliant red, large florets, slightly ruffled. Midseason. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**REWI FALLU**—Immense, deep blood-red; texture like heavy velvet. Don't lose the name of this one—you'll want to get more! (3 for 35c) (6 for 60c) (12 for \$1.10).

**SILVER WINGS**—One of the nicest white glads; a sport of Picardy. Midseason. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

**SNOW PRINCESS**—Large, pure white with creamy throat. Early. (3 for 25c) (6 for 40c) (12 for 75c).

**SPIC & SPAN**—A brand new sensation, with perfect form and giant, ruffled flowers of rich pink—sometimes 20 of them at once. Sold up to \$1.50 each last year. (3 for 60c) (6 for \$1.10) (12 for \$2.00).

**TIVOLI**—A clear, delicate pink with canary-yellow throat. (3 for 35c) (6 for 60c) (12 for \$1.10).

**TOKEN**—Peach-red with yellow throat; highly attractive. (3 for 25c) (6 for 40c) (12 for 75c).

**TRUE BLUE**—Dark, violet blue. Very early. (3 for 40c) (6 for 70c) (12 for \$1.30).

**YELLOW HERALD**—An amber yellow with slight carmine markings in throat. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).

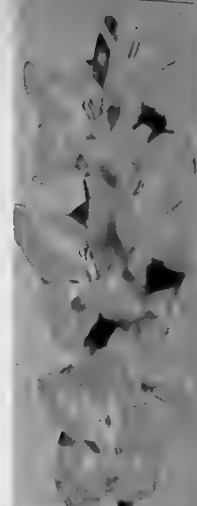
**YELLOW SPOTLIGHT**—Golden yellow with small red markings. (3 for 30c) (6 for 50c) (12 for 90c).



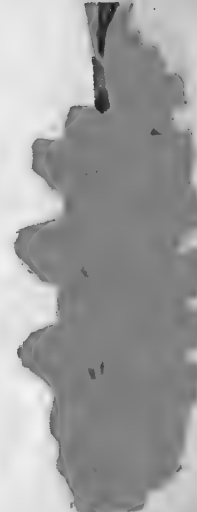
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Red Stoplight



Yellow Spotlight



Blue Beauty  
Gen. Eisenhower

**Special!**

**GIANT SIZE GLAD COLLECTION**

1 each of 25 outstanding Glads above (unlabeled) only \$2.49.

## The Famous FRAGRANT GLADIOLUS

This variety came from Ethiopia as Gladiolus Murialae and while some botanists consider this to be its correct classification, others classify it as a species of Acidanthera. Under whichever name you choose to call it, you will find it to be one of the finest additions to your Gladiolus garden. The flowers are pure white with a maroon-

black blotch on the lower petal, produced on spikes about 2 feet tall. When in bloom, the entire garden is filled with a delightful perfume suggestive of carnations. Blooming size bulbs which are smaller than regular Gladiolus bulbs. (3 for 45c) (6 for 80c) (12 for \$1.50).

### GLORIOUS GLAD COLLECTION

HUNDREDS of colors go to make up this amazing collection of GIANT No. 1 Size Bulbs. 12 for 95c—25 for \$1.79—50 for \$3.19—100 for \$5.69.

### BARGAIN GLAD COLLECTION

25 Glads—All different—but smaller size than above. All will bloom this year. 25 only \$1.19.



# Burgess HARDY PERENNIALS

SEEDS and PLANTS - - - All Prepaid



## NIEREMBERGIA

500 cup shaped blue flowers are not unusual in a single season. A most dependable low border plant. A foot high but bushes out to the size of a half bushel basket. Not hardy in the north. (Pkt. 30c). PLANTS: (45c each) (3 for \$1.20) (6 for \$2.25)



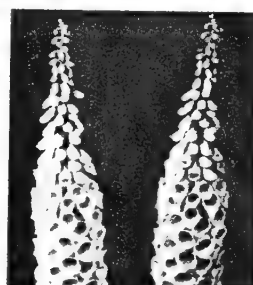
## Hardy Primrose Pfitzer's Colossal

These colorful, low-growing beauties come in every color but blue. Plant in shade. Do well in moist conditions. Make sheet of bloom in early spring. (49c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.35) prepaid.



## Sweet William

Wonderful array of vivid colors in fancy patterns. Clustered and colored much like Phlox, the markings being more sharply defined. A fine mixture of all colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (1/2 oz. 65c).



## DIGITALIS

**FOXGLOVE.** Enormous spikes 3 to 4 feet tall, covered with bell-shaped flowers of pink, rose and white spotted with crimson and maroon. Blooms during July and August. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).



## ORIENTAL POPPIES

For best results Oriental Poppies should be transplanted in their dormant season in late summer. All orders will be shipped then.

**CRIMSON POMPON** (Double)—Full double pompon type of deep crimson. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25).

**GLOWING EMBERS**—Deep, glowing red. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25).

**GIANT FLAME**—Huge, flame-red flowers on 3' stems. Largest. (60c each) (3 for \$1.50).

**HELEN ELIZABETH**—Large ruffled flowers of bright La France pink. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25).

**RASPBERRY QUEEN**—Large and the color of raspberries. (60c each) (3 for \$1.50).

**SALMON GLOW** (Double)—Clear, lustrous salmon-pink. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25).

**ORIENTAL POPPY COLLECTION:** 1 each of 6, our selection, only \$1.25 prepaid.

**ORIENTAL POPPYSEED:** (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (1/8 oz. 80c).



## COLUMBINE (Aquilegia)

**LONG SPURRED HYBRIDS.** It would be impossible to describe the wide variation of colors. They range from bright yellow to vivid scarlet and from the daintiest blues to deep purple, with all the intermediate shades. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

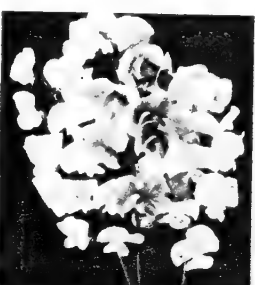
**BLACK PRINCE**—The old fashioned short-spurred, DOUBLE, columbine. Deep maroon, almost black. SEED (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c). PLANTS (35c each) (3 for 75c) (6 for \$1.35).



## CAMPANULAS CANTERBURY BELLS

(Medium). An old-fashioned biennial with large, blue, rose and white, bell-shaped blossoms. Prefers sun. Mixture of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

**CUP AND SAUCER** (Calycanthemum). Large, semi-double blue, white, rose and striped flowers, each resembling a cup and saucer. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



## Perennial SWEET PEAS

(Lathyrus) A showy climber that remains in the ground year after year without care. The large true pea-shaped flowers in pink, red and white are produced in clusters on stems long enough for cutting. Mixed colors. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (1/2 oz. 80c).



## RUSSELL LUPINES

Spikes 3 to 4 ft. long. Flowers resemble sweet peas, set closely along the stalk. Shades of yellow, orange, red and purple, with many bi-colored and two-toned. An excellent cut flower, blooming with the poppies. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## ICELAND POPPIES

**IMPERIAL JEWELS.** Dazzling as the Imperial Crown Jewels. The mixture contains wonderful color shades, from light to very deep orange, all shades of yellow, creamy white and pure white, pink from shell pink to salmon pink, deep rose and nearly red tones and many pastel hues of apricot, buff and chamois. Beautifully frilled and fluted, many semi-double and all 4 to 5 in. or more in diameter. Stems 20 to 24 in., bearing flowers upright in regal splendor. Seed only. (Pkt. 25c).

**SINGLE MIXED.** Mixture of yellow, orange-scarlet, pink and white. (Pkt. 15c).

## HARDY ORCHID

The Lady Slipper or Cypripedium is a popular member of the Orchid family. The beautiful yet curious flowers are produced on 12 in. stems in early summer. They are best suited to a shaded location with ample moisture. Good for planting around pools in the shade of overhanging trees. **PINK or YELLOW** (45c each) (3 for \$1.20) (6 for \$2.25) prepaid.

## SUN ROSES

**HELIANTHEMUM**—Evergreen, shrubby perennials forming low clumps, 1 1/2 to 2 ft. in diameter, bearing hundreds of double, semi-double and single roselike flowers from June to August. A very desirable plant for the low border or rock garden, and will thrive in poor dry soil. Seed in mixture of colors. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## VIOLA CORNUTA

Violas resemble pansies in shape and form, but are somewhat smaller, grow 6 to 8 in. high, are true perennials and perfectly hardy. They bloom constantly from April until cut down by frost. Fine assortment of many shades and colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (1/16 oz. 60c).

## GIANT SCABIOSA

**GIANT HYBRIDS.** A wonderful improvement over other varieties of Scabiosa. Long-stemmed giant ruffled flowers from August until frost. Valuable for cutting. A fine mixture of all pastel shades of blue and lavender. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## PERENNIAL ASTER

Showy flowers in shades of red, pink, blue, and white, bloom from late summer until frost. Seeds in mixture of colors only. (Pkt. 25c).

## DIANTHUS (Garden Pinks)

**DOUBLE CLOVE PINK** (Plumarius). 12 inches. The favorite of the old fashioned garden. Double carnation-like flowers with a pleasing, spicy fragrance. Fine mixture of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

**Perennial Candy Tuft** **IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS** (White). 18 inches high. Comes into bloom early in the spring and does well in sun or shade. Much used for cemeteries, rockeries, etc. Seed only. (Pkt. 25c).

## FEVERFEW

12 inches. June-October. Free-flowering hardy perennial. Fine, double white flowers resembling pompon Chrysanthemums. One of the best all-season cut flowers. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## GEUMS

Double flowers on long stems from June to September. A fine border plant and an excellent cut flower. Needs winter protection in cold localities. Will bloom freely the first year if seed is started early indoors.

**LADY STRATHEDEN.** 24 inches. Rich golden-yellow. (Pkt. 20c).

**MRS. BRADSHAW.** 24 inches. Large, fiery-red flowers. (Pkt. 20c).

## HARDY FUCHSIA

The hardy Fuchsia Magellanica produces beautiful pendulous flowers of ruby-red with purple inner petals. Good in shady location but will bloom just as well in the sun and should be given winter protection north of Philadelphia. Pot plants that will bloom the first season (supplied in spring only) (50c each) (3 for \$1.35) (6 for \$2.50).

## CHINESE MONEY PLANT

**LUNARIA.** A hardy biennial, about 2 feet in height. Flowers are violet-purple, white and dark crimson, followed by silvery seed pods, which present a beautiful and rather curious appearance. When dried, the stems, which are loaded with these glistening seed pouches, will last indefinitely for winter bouquets. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



## SHASTA DAISIES

**GIANT DOUBLE WHITE.** This strain includes an assortment of various types of double flowers ranging from the most fully double fringed petaled sorts through semi-doubles, to a type which, though single, forms unusual and beautifully shaped flowers with lacinated, curled and quilled petals. The flowers are all large and carried on long wiry stems. Seed (25c Pkt.) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c). Selected-double, blooming size plants (60c each) (3 for \$1.50).

**ALASKA.** It is giant in size, blooms profusely on tall, stiff stems, with heavy, overlapping petals. Flowers average 4 to 5 in. and we have seen many of them as large as 7 in. across. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

**MEMORIAL DAY DAISY.** An early flowered type that is always in bloom for Decoration Day. No plants to offer. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

**EDGEBROOK GIANT.** We believe this new Shasta Daisy to be the finest variety in existence. Under ordinary cultivation, the flowers average 4 to 5 ins. and we have seen many of them as large as 7 ins. across. PLANTS (50c each) (3 for \$1.25).

## GAILLARDIA →

### Perennial Hybrids

Needed to add that dash of color through the hot, dry summer. Our mixed hybrids contain all the new types and colors, from clear yellow to almost red. (Pkt., 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

### Perennial Flower Mixture

An inexpensive way of obtaining a good assortment of perennial plants is to send for our Perennial Flower Seed Packet, which includes all the leading varieties in a grand mixture. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (1/4 oz. 80c).





#### FORGET-ME-NOT

**MYOSOTIS.** Hardy perennials that bloom continually from early spring to frost.

**BLUE GEM**—9". Lovely, bright sky-blue flowers. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c). **PLANTS** (44c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.75).

**PINK BEAUTY**—9". Pink with strong habit and loaded with bloom. **PLANTS** (44c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.75) Prepaid.



#### HARDY CARNATIONS

**BRILLIANCY**—Dazzling crimson.

**SILVERMINE**—Finest double-white.

**BEATRICE**—Everblooming pink. (49c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.35).

**CARNATION BORDER COLLECTION** (see photo)—1 pink, 1 red, 1 white, 1 yellow—all 4 only \$1.00. **SEED** (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (3 for \$1.00).



#### TRITOMAS

**PFITZER'S IMPROVED**—Scarlet blooms 12" to 15" long. Aug. and Sept. **SEED**: (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c). **PLANTS**: (60c each) (3 for \$1.50) (6 for \$2.75).

**MARTIN'S HYBRID**—Scarlet and yellow blooms in July. **PLANTS**: (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25).

**GOLDEN SCEPTRE**—Canary yellow. June. **PLANTS**: (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25).



#### ASTILBE

Many attractive branched, feathery heads in June and July. Fine for cutting. 18". Do well indoors as pot plants.

**DEUTSCHLAND**—White. (60c each) (3 for \$1.45).

**FANAL**—Red. (70c each) (3 for \$1.65).

**RHINELAND**—Pink. (60c each) (3 for \$1.45).



#### HARDY HIBISCUS

Sometimes called Rose Mallow or Mallow Marvel. Huge 6- to 8-inch flowers on tall growing, bushy plants. Flowers from June until October and range in color from white with red eye through pink to deep red. Will do well in any soil, but thrive on very wet ground where little else will grow. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c). **PLANTS** (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85) (12 for \$3.45).



#### Best of All CUSHION 'MUMS 8 Colors

**BLACK VELVET.** Very dark red.

**CAMILLA.** Cherry red.

**EARLY ROBIN.** Bronze-yellow with mahogany-red center.

**GOLDEN HOURS.** Delightful lemon yellow.

**PRICES:** (45c each) (3 for \$1.20) (6 for \$2.20) prepaid.

**CUSHION 'MUM COLLECTION:** 1 each of 8 above only \$2.85 prepaid.

**COLOR 'MUM COLLECTION:** 1 red, 1 yellow, 1 pink, 1 bronze—all 4 only \$1.35 prepaid.

**ORCHID HELEN.** An orchid pink.

**SNOWDRIFT.** A pure white.

**RED CLOUD.** Burgundy red.

**SUNSET BRONZE.** A golden bronze.

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#### ORNAMENTAL ROSE VINE

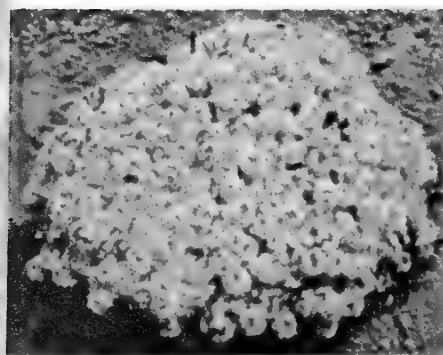
**HARDY DOUBLE MORNING GLORY.** Full double, rose-like flowers of clear bright pink, 2" across, that bloom all summer.

Plant along dry sunny banks or where a low vine is needed. Climbs 4 to 6' on a trellis or fence. Takes all kinds of abuse and still blooms profusely. (3 for 60c) (6 for \$1.10) (12 for \$2.00).



#### LEMON LILY

**HYPERION.** A new hybrid delightfully fragrant and fine for cutting. Fine citron-yellow on 40" stems. Thrives in moist ground and does equally well on poor soil, sun or shade. Sold for \$2.50 when first introduced. (75c each) (3 for \$1.90) (6 for \$3.50).



#### Creeping PHLOX

##### ←Subulata

Moss-like evergreen mats of foliage completely covered with flowers in very early spring. They withstand drought and will grow on the poorest soil. An ideal plant for the rockery, border, terrace or bank. Your choice of **Blue, Pink, Red or White.** (49c each) (4 for \$1.50) (12 for \$3.85).



#### ←LYTHRUM

##### Pink Profusion

A mass of flowers from early summer until fall—always in bloom. Spike after spike, loaded with beautiful pink flowers, grows out of the crown of the plant, literally flowering its way upward to a height of about 30 inches. After the spikes have flowered themselves to maturity they should be cut. In an incredibly short time more branches will make their appearance—a real "cut-and-come-again" that needs no pampering. A satisfying plant that is neat of habit and easy to grow, and will provide a summer of complete enjoyment. **Plants** (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.20).

#### Double PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUMS

##### "Queen of Flowers"

For sheer, delightful, breath-taking beauty, no flower can compare with the tall stateliness of the Delphinium, of which the Pacific Hybrid is by far the best. With individual florets  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " across and spikes 5 to 6' tall, they surely deserve their title of "Queen of the Garden." Many combinations of blue, purple, rose and lavender. **SEED:** (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00). **PLANTS:** (35c each) (3 for 85c) (6 for \$1.50) (12 for \$2.85) prepaid.

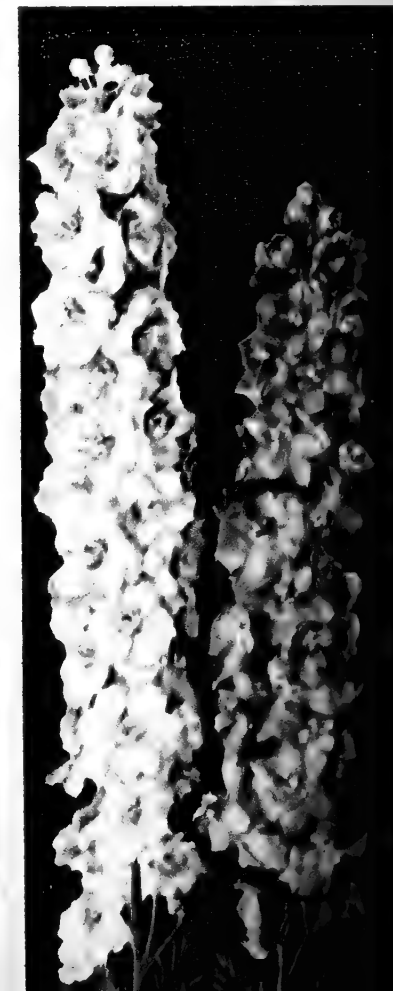
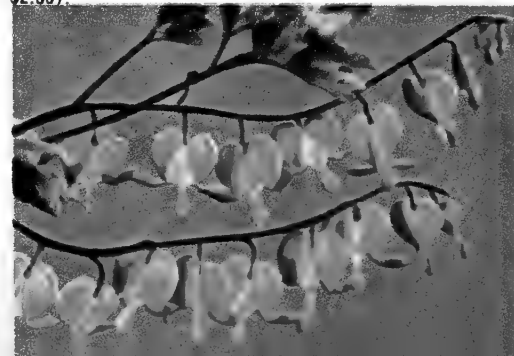
**DOUBLE PURITY**—Our select strain of Pacific Hybrid White. **SEED:** (Pkt. 35c). **PLANTS:** (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85) prepaid.

**GIANT ENGLISH HYBRIDS**—Seed only. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 90c).

#### BLEEDING HEART

**DICENTRA SPECTABILIS** (below). 2 ft. April-June. One of the earliest blooming hardy plants; long racemes of graceful heart-shaped rose-pink flowers; easily grown anywhere; especially valuable for border planting and for shade. Also makes a beautiful house plant if potted late in the fall and kept in a cool place until a few weeks before the flowers are wanted. **SURPLUS OFFER:** (4 plants 98c)

**DICENTRA EXIMIA** (Everblooming or Plumy Bleeding Heart). 18 inches. An everblooming sort with beautiful finely cut foliage and showy racemes of heart-shaped deep pink flowers from April to August. Shade or sun. **SEEDS** (25c per pkt.) **PLANTS** (49c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.35).





# Bargains in 1-year Perennials

1 Dozen \$1.90—3 Dozen \$5.50—5 Dozen \$8.50

The varieties offered here are all healthy, one-year-old field grown plants. While they are smaller than our regular list of transplanted stock, they afford you an opportunity to secure many varieties at

truly bargain prices. These low prices make it necessary for us to ask you to order ONLY in quantities given. DO NOT ORDER LESS THAN 3 PLANTS OF ANY ONE VARIETY.



## GYPSOPHILA or Baby's Breath

**PANICULATA DOUBLE WHITE**—2½ ft. A great improvement on the single-flowered type and more lasting. The feathery sprays of flowers add greatly to the beauty of any mixed bouquet, either freshly cut in summer or dried for winter use. July-August. Seed only. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).



## Trailing Evergreen VINCA

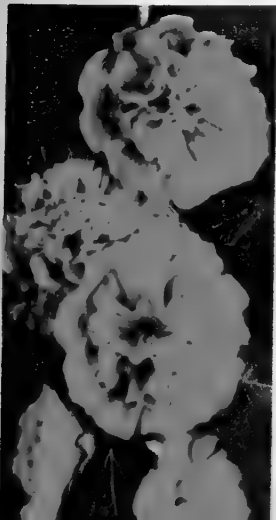
### Best of All Ground Covers

An old timer but still the best ground cover for the shade. Will also grow in full sun. Glossy evergreen foliage and bright blue flowers. Plants, (8 for \$1.00) (25 for \$2.85) (100 for \$10.00) prepaid.



## HARDY or OUTDOOR FERNS

Hardy Ferns do well in shady and half-shady places and are useful for growing close to houses, in corners which are too dark for most plants. Ferns do best in light soils containing much vegetable matter, so it is always best to work leaf mould into the soil of a fern bed. They are easy to grow. We have a fine assortment, and sell them in a fine mixture of varieties at (3 for 89c) (6 for \$1.65) (12 for \$2.95) prepaid.



## HOLLYHOCKS

**TRIUMPH DOUBLE**—6-8 ft. A large full double early flowering type. Much improved from the older types, both in size and texture. Seed in mixture of colors containing a full range of both the light and dark shades. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).

**CHATER'S DOUBLE**—Extremely large flowers with frilled outer petals and a double rosette in the center. A complete range of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).

**ALYSSUM: Basket-of-Gold**—Golden yellow flowers in early spring on 12 in. plants. Fine for carpeting tulip beds, in rock gardens and dry walls and for edging perennial borders.

**ANCHUSA, Italica**—Bright blue flowers on 4 to 5-ft. spikes in June. Use in clumps at rear of border.

**ARTEMESIA, Silver King**—A striking "contrast" plant with foliage like frosted silver. Used in bouquets and may be dried for winter use. About 3 ft.

**COLUMBINE, Clematis-flowered**—Imagine clematis flowers in pastel shades on Columbine plants in early spring! Unusual and graceful.

**COLUMBINE, Crimson Star**—Deep red sepals and spur with white center petals. Outstanding and worthwhile. Early spring.

**COLUMBINE, Long-spurred Hybrids** (Mrs. Scott Elliott)—Graceful flowers in profusion; vivid assortment of colors. Early spring.

**CAMPANULA: Cup-and-Saucer**—Old-fashioned favorite with semi-double, blue, pink and white flowers in May-June. About 3 ft. Best in clumps of 3 to 6 plants.

**CANDYTUFT, Sempervirens**—"Tops" in edging plants. Racemes of white . . . blossoms clustered above evergreen leaves. Compact plants to 1 ft.

**CARDINAL FLOWER (Lobelia)**—Brightest red in the garden. 18 to 24-in. tall. Prefers moist soil in light shade.

**CARNATION, Hardy Garden**—Mixed double and single flowers in many hues of white, yellow, pink and red. Blooms all summer. 12 to 18 inches.

**COREOPSIS: Sunburst**—Double, golden yellow flowers on long stems. Splendid for cutting.

**CORNFLOWER (Centaurea)**—Superb for bouquets. Large, violet-blue flowers on 2-ft. plants from July to Sept. Showy and easily grown.

**DELPHINIUM (Belladonna)**—Lovely, light blue spikes in June and again in Sept. 4 to 5-ft. This species produces many spikes per plant.

**DELPHINIUM (Bellamosum)**—Similar to D. belladonna but flowers are dark blue. Interplant the two kinds.

**DELPHINIUM: Chinese Butterfly**—Fine-cut, feathery foliage and gentian-blue flowers in airy panicles. 18 inches high. Best for bouquets and arrangements.

**DELPHINIUM: Giant English Hybrids (Blackmore & Landon)**—The best garden strain. Large flowers on massive spikes combine many shades of blue, mauve and violet.

**DELPHINIUM: Lamartine**—Gentian-blue flowers on tall spikes with many lateral branches. Something a bit different. Blooms all summer.

**DIANTHUS: Clove Pinks (Plumarius)**—Clove-scented, rose-colored flowers on 12 to 18-in. stems. Blue-green foliage.

**DIANTHUS: Sweet Wivelsfield**—Like Sweet William but perennial and with fringed petals.

**FEVERFEW (Matricaria)**—Double, white flowers like little pompon chrysanthemums from June to Oct. Very free-flowering and 12 inches high. Valuable for cutting.

**FLAX, Blue (Linum)**—Dainty, azure-blue flowers on feathery foliage, about 2 ft. Best in full sun. Plant with yellow-orange Wallflowers for contrast.

**FORGET-ME-NOT**—Low biennial with blue flowers. Spring.

**FOXGLOVE (Digitalis)**—3 to 4-ft. spikes covered with bell-shaped flowers of pink, rose and white variously spotted with crimson and maroon. June-July.

**GAILLARDIA: "Blanket-flower"**—Yellow and red daisy-like flowers on 2-ft. stems. Blooms through hot, dry spells when other flowers fall. Summer.

**GYPSOPHILA: Pink Baby's Breath (Pacifica)**—A rosy mist of tiny single flowers in airy panicles. Summer and fall.

## PRICES

3 plants of the same variety... \$0.80

6 plants of the same variety... 1.25

12 plants of the same variety... 1.90

3 dozen plants (not less than 12 of a variety)..... 5.50

5 dozen plants (not less than 12 of a variety)..... 8.50

## All Prepaid

Order ONLY in quantities given. Quantity discounts apply only when the SAME VARIETY is ordered.

**GYPSOPHILA: Double White Baby's Breath**—Indispensable in beautiful bouquets; may be dried for winter use. About 2½ ft.

**HELIOTROPE (Valeriana)**—Abundant red flowers in umbels on 12-in. stems from June to Oct. Rich green foliage. Try it!

**HIBISCUS: Mallow Marvel**—Blossoms like giant hollyhocks, are red, pink and white on 4-ft. plants in summer. Very showy.

**HOLLYHOCK, Chater's Double**—Popular strain with extra-large flowers, fringed outer petals and double rosette in center. Complete color-range.

**LAVENDER (Lavendula)**—The true lavender cherished for its fragrance and blue flowers in summer. About 18-in. high. Foliage is dried and used in linen-closets.

**MALTESE CROSS (Lychnis Chalcedonica)**—Compact heads of brilliant red, uniquely shaped flowers on 2-ft. stems. June-July.

**PAINTED DAISY (Pyrethrum)**—Fern-like foliage surmounted by many pink and red, yellow-eyed daisies on 18 to 24-in. stems. Late spring. Good for cutting.

**PANSY, Swiss Giants**—The most popular strain of large-flowered pansies in a wide range of colors.

**PLATYCODON: Chinese Bellflower**—Odd, balloon-like buds open into showy, deep blue flowers on 20-in. spikes.

**POPPY MALLOW (Callirhoe)**—Rose or purple flowers 2 in. across on plants 1 ft. high. Does well on poor soils.

**ROCK-CRESS (Arabis)**—Cascades of white in rock-gardens, dry walls and front of borders in early spring. Blooms on 12-in. stems, arise from creeping plants.

**SCABIOSA: "Pincushion Flower"**—Fine for cutting. Pastel shades of blue and lavender. In bloom from August to frost.

**SHASTA DAISY, Alaska**—Glistening white. Giant, single flowers on 2-ft. stems. Summer.

**SHASTA DAISY, Diener's Double**—A very fine, semi-double to double variety with fringed, quilled and curled petals. 2 to 3 ft.

**STATICE (or Sea-Lavender)**—Huge panicles of tiny, purplish-blue flowers in July-Aug. 1½ ft. Useful cut and dried for winter bouquets.

**STOKESIA**—Rich blue flowers July to Oct. 18 in.

**SUN-ROSE (Helianthemum)**—Myriad yellow, white and pink flowers like little, single roses on a dwarf, creeping plant. Gay and colorful.

**SWEET PEA, Hardy (Lathyrus)**—Trailing plants grown on trellises and fences, also as a ground-cover in the poorest of soils. Flowers in clusters on stems long enough for cutting.

**SWEET WILLIAM (Dianthus Barbatas)**—A dwarf form of the old-fashioned biennial everybody loves. Many shades and combinations of pink, red and white.

**VIOLA, Cornuta (Tufted Pansy)**—A true perennial with cute little flowers a trifle smaller than regular pansies. Small, neat plants with flowers in many bright, solid colors.

**WALLFLOWER (Cheiranthus)**—Orange-yellow flowers in flat heads on 12-in. stems in spring. A rather unusual color.





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### BETTY

A near-double apple-blossom pink with a deep rose center. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) (6 for \$2.00).

### GOLDEN SUNSET

4" large flowers of golden copper with orange undertone. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25).

### JAYEFF

Huge 4" flowers of dazzling pink. No other like it. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85).

### CONQUEROR

A large, deep crimson of exceptional beauty. Free flowering. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) (6 for \$2.00).

### ALABASTER

A giant, almost 6" across, and purest of all whites. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) (6 for \$2.00).

### ALERT

Fully double dark purple that never fades. Large. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25).

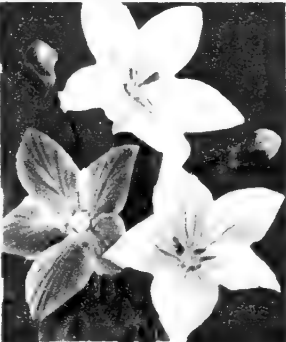
### GOLDBLOCKS

A glowing, bright yellow. Brightest thing in the garden. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85).

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A brilliant orange with yellow shadings on the fringes. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85).

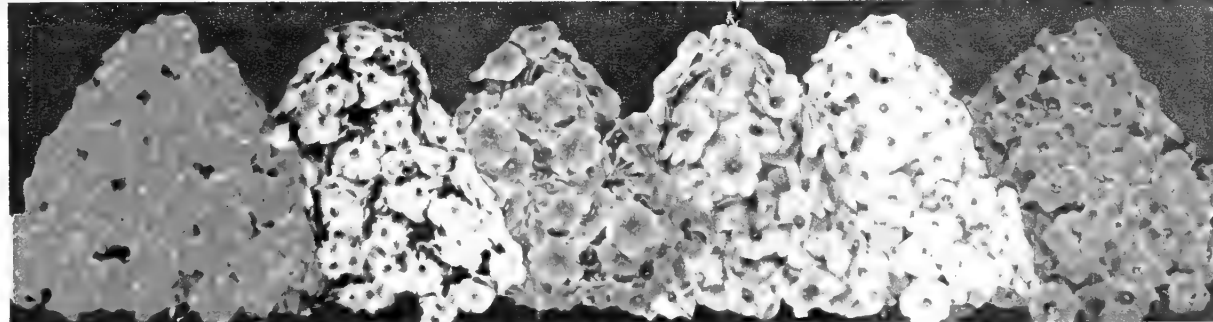
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### PLATYCODON The Balloon Flower

CHINESE BELL FLOWER. Large, bell-shaped flowers on graceful stems. Fine for the border and cutting. Very hardy. 18 in. June-September. They come in a mixture of delicate colors.

PLANTS: (45c each) (3 for \$1.20) (6 for \$2.25).



### THOR

Large branched panicles of salmon-orange.

### STARLIGHT

Lilac-blue of immense size and beauty.

### SALMON GLOW

A deep salmon-pink with white center.

### PINK CHARM

Bright clear pink with a darker sheen.

### MARY LOUISE

Purest, whitest and best of all the whites.

### FLASH

Large brilliant scarlet with orange cast.

## PHLOX

PRICES: (49c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.10) (12 for \$3.60).

Perennial Phlox Seed (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

PHLOX COLLECTION—1 Each  
of 6 Above only \$1.85



### LILY of the VALLEY

Enjoy Their Fragrance

**DOUBLE WHITE.** Just like the popular single Lily of the Valley except that each bell has a second one inside and usually two miniature bells at the side. Very rare and unusual. Plants (3 for 60c) (6 for \$1.00) (12 for \$1.75).

**SINGLE WHITE.** The fragrant white Lily of the Valley is too well known to require description. They will grow most anywhere but prefer shade. Plants (6 for 75c) (12 for \$1.75).

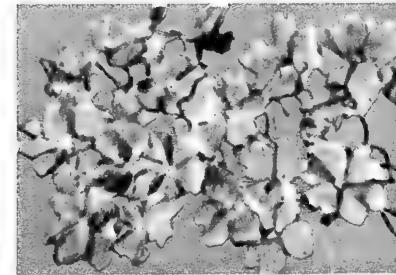
**PINK**—(See Photo above). Exactly like the white Lily of the Valley except color which is lilac-pink. Plants (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.25).



### GIANT CHINESE LANTERN

Makes Beautiful Winter Bouquets

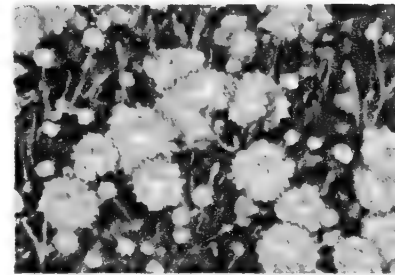
The Chinese Lantern (Physalis Franchetti) is highly prized for winter decoration. The balloon-like pods or lanterns measure 6 to 9 inches in circumference, are brilliant orange in color and retain their shape and color all winter. Easily grown in almost any soil. A money-maker for the florist and the roadside stand. SEED (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) PLANTS (3 for 60c) (6 for \$1.00) (12 for \$1.85) prepaid.



### PERENNIAL VERBENA

For Bedding and Borders

One of the finest hardy perennial bedding and border plants; a strong, thrifty grower about 12" high and covered from early summer until late fall with a lavish profusion of flowers. One of the most satisfactory low-growing perennial plants; a continual display of pink blooms; fine for cutting and the best plant we know of for the rock garden. Blooming size plants (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.



### GOLDEN CARPET 'MUM

Covers Ground Like a Carpet

Here is something startlingly new in hardy Chrysanthemums—a low grower that literally clings to the ground. A single plant will cover a 3 ft. area with bright golden-yellow pompons. A splendid edger, good for the rock garden and a thousand other places in the garden. Profuse and continual bloomer. So new you'll be first in your neighborhood with it. (75c each) (3 for \$1.85).



### Double Camellia-Flowered TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

This charming class of Begonia is perhaps the most handsome of all summer-flowering tuberous-rooted plants. Fine for pot plants and for planting outside in a semi-shady location. Their culture is of the simplest, and with the least regard for their requirements they will repay with an abundance and brilliancy of bloom not equaled by any other class of plants. All Begonias we offer are blooming size bulbs and available from late January until May.

Available in Pink, Red and Yellow. Your choice of colors. (3 for 75c) (6 for \$1.25) (12 for \$2.35).



### True VIOLETS

**AMERICAN BEAUTY.** Nearest to red with large flowers in abundance. New. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85).

**EVERBLOOMING BLUE.** A new sweet scented that blooms in spring and thru summer. Reduced in price for first time this year. A truly lovely, dainty plant. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85).



### VESPER IRIS

Up to 3500 Blooms  
from 1 Clump

The beautiful filigree of graceful branches is studded with from 100 to 200 jewel-like flowers, and well established clumps have been known to produce 3500 blooms—truly a mammoth bouquet. The delicately colored blossoms resemble a multitude of gorgeous butterflies at rest, with motionless outstretched wings, varying in color from cool translucent lavender with markings of mahogany, copper, lemon, orange-brown or titian all in the same flower. Blooming size plants. (3 for 70c) 6 for \$1.25) (12 for \$2.30).

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Peace



Tallyho

### Finest of All PATENTED ROSES

Everblooming Roses of Everlasting Merit

**PEACE.** (Pat. No. 591.) Voted the best of ALL Roses. A large double, showing tints of yellow, pale gold, cream and ivory with a slight pink ruffled edging. A magnificent grower with shiny dark green foliage. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.60).

**MIRANDY.** (Pat. No. 632.) The deepest red of them all—rich and velvety, with a full bodied fragrance that perfumes the garden. (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.65).

**TALLYHO.** (Pat. No. 828.) A bi-color in shades of pink with a delightful spicy fragrance. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.25).

**EVANGELINE.** — (copyright). The new creamy-white THORNLESS rose, blended with pink edging on each petal. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.75).

**CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG.** (Pat. No. 455.) Long, pointed buds of coral-rose, richly scented. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.25).

**CRIMSON GLORY.** (Pat. No. 105.) A deep, vivid crimson, and voted the most fragrant of all. (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.65).

**ECLIPSE.** (Pat. No. 172.) Generally considered the best clear yellow of all. (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.65).

**FORTY-NINER.** (Pat. No. 792.) Brightest of all bi-colors, with Cherry red and Straw yellow. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.25).

**PATENTED ROSE COLLECTION:** 1 each of all 8 above only \$12.85.

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The four roses in the collection have been voted among the 10 best roses of all time.

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Mirandy



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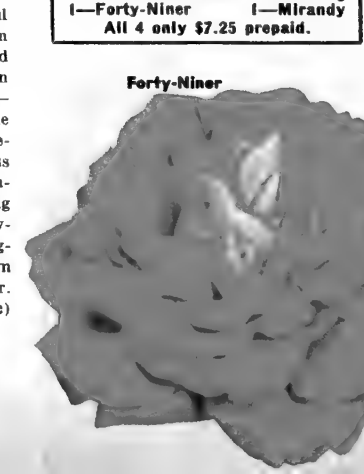
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Crimson Glory



Eclipse



Forty-Niner

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# ROSES

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Roses of all types on  
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## Everblooming CLIMBING ROSES

**BLAZE**—Sensational scarlet climber, reduced in price. Hardy—needs no winter protection.

**NEW DAWN**—A lovely, delicate pink. Blooms all summer. Hardy.

**TALISMAN**—Golden yellow and copper. Needs winter protection in the North.

**PRICES:** (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.45) (6 for \$5.95) prepaid.

## THE BLUE ROSE

**CARDINAL RICHELIEU**—Rich velvety blue-purple, blending to almost blue with lighter centers. One of the hardy, shrub-like French Roses. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.35).

## ALL ROSES (except Tree Roses) Shipped Prepaid



## Thornless FESTIVAL

A beautiful, red Hybrid Tea Rose. Large flowers, ever-blooming and fragrant. One of the finest red roses for your garden and entirely free of thorns. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.75) prepaid.



All Tree Roses will be sent by Express, transportation charges collect. Be sure to give us your correct Express address.

## Everblooming TREE ROSES

The blooms of Tree Roses are exactly like the Hybrid Teas, except that they are grafted on top of a standard or trunk about 3 to 3½ feet high and will eventually reach a height of about 5 feet. They flower the first year they are planted and bloom more profusely than when grown in bush form.

**ETOILE de HOLLANDE**—Red.  
**KONIGEN LOUISE**—White.  
**MRS. P. S. DUPONT**—Yellow.  
**THE DOCTOR**—Pink.

(See opposite page for color photos and descriptions.)

**PRICES:** (\$5.95 each) (2 for \$10.45) (4 for \$19.95).

Tree Roses are too big to ship Parcel Post. They go by Express, Not Prepaid.

Instructions for winter care are sent with each shipment.

## EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

From the many hundreds of roses on the market today we have selected the ones (see in color on opposite page) which we believe will give most satisfaction to the average grower and still remain within a moderate price.

They are all free-blooming, easy to grow varieties that should do well for you. Take advantage of price reductions by ordering in quantity or by collection. (See page 33 for Patented Roses.)

## Prize Winning ROSE COLLECTION

See all varieties pictured in color on opposite page.

- 1—Christopher Stone
- 1—Konigen Louise
- 1—Mrs. P. S. Dupont
- 1—Poinsettia
- 1—The Doctor

All 5 Roses only \$4.95  
Prepaid

## SWEETHEART ROSE

Ideal for Corsages, Boutonniers, Baby Bouquets

Exquisite Salmon-Pink baby blooms. An everblooming, practically thornless plant that grows to about 2' and gives a profusion of bloom throughout the summer until frost. Last summer 252 blossoms were counted on one plant. Exceptionally hardy and disease resistant, does not mildew. Perfect for the garden. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95) prepaid.

## HARDY, FIELD-GROWN CLIMBING ROSES

There are a hundred places for climbers. Grow them on the fence, on a trellis, against an outbuilding. They are perfectly hardy almost anywhere.

**BLUE RAMBLER**—Rose-lilac when opening, changing to metallic blue.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY**—The vigorous pink with the dark glossy foliage.

**PAUL'S SCARLET**—Favorite of all. Deep scarlet bloom.

**YELLOW RAMBLER**—Clusters of bright lemon-yellow flowers.

**PRICES:** (\$1.10 each) (3 for \$2.95) (6 for \$5.60) prepaid.

## Climbing Rose Collection

1 Blaze, 1 American Beauty, 1 Paul's Scarlet. All 3 only \$2.95.

# Burgess' GIANT DAHLIAS

## GIANT EXHIBITION DAHLIAS

**DADDY KEMP**—Huge reddish-purple blooms often a foot across. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**D'ARCY SAINSBURY**—Beautiful, creamy-white; always popular. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**MONARCH OF THE EAST**—Rich cadmium-yellow with coral shadings on backs of petals. 12-inch flowers. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**MRS. THOMAS A. EDISON**—Rich red blossoms 8 to 10 inches across. The best red. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**PREMIER'S WINSOME**—The best pink so far produced; deep, full flowers to 14 inches across. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**EXHIBITION DAHLIA COLLECTION:** 1 each of 5 Dahlias above only \$3.85 prepaid.

## GIANT DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

**SANHICAN'S BLUEBIRD**—Blue, naturally, and one we are sure you will like. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**CITY OF CLEVELAND**—Here is a different color: brilliant orange suffused with red. (60c each) (3 for \$1.60) prepaid.

**INCANDESCENT**—A bronzy-yellow and pink that glows like fire. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

**JANE COWL**—Big flowers of warm buff and glowing gold, blending into a salmon center. (55c each) (3 for \$1.45) prepaid.

**ROSE GLORY**—A lovely, clear rose of which you will be proud. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.

**WHITE WONDER**—Every dahlia collection needs a white variety; this is the best one of all. (65c each) (3 for \$1.70) prepaid.

**GIANT DECORATIVE COLLECTION:** 1 each of 6 Dahlias above only \$2.95 prepaid.

## SHOW GARDEN DAHLIA BARGAIN

4 Dahlias All Different  
All 4 only \$1.00  
8—All Different—only \$1.85  
Prepaid

## CACTUS DAHLIAS

**BABY ROYAL**—A very nice, salmon-pink. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**BERTHA HORNE**—Bronzy buff-yellow; fine for cutting. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**BRIDE'S BOUQUET**—Pure white; medium-size flowers. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**CELIA**—Beautiful lavender-pink; large flowers. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.

**LIBELLE**—Royal purple; a very rich hue. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

## CACTUS DAHLIA BARGAIN

CACTUS DAHLIA COLLECTION: 1 each of 5 above only \$1.95.

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## BALL TYPE DAHLIAS

**A. D. LIVONI**—Rose-pink; the most popular ball-dahlia we sell. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**PURPLE BALL**—Large, clear, dark purple. Blooms freely. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**RED CHIEF**—A perfect, bright red ball. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.

**STORM KING**—Pure white, 4-inch flowers. (45c each) (3 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**YELLOW DUKE**—Clean, brilliant yellow; a perfect cut flower. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.

**BALL DAHLIA COLLECTION:** 1 each of 5 above only \$1.90 prepaid.

## BALL DAHLIA BARGAIN

5 Ball Dahlias All Different  
All 5 only \$1.00, Prepaid





## 10 Most Beautiful Roses

All 10 Pictured on This Page Only \$9.45 Prepaid

(A) **POINSETTIA**—Long, pointed buds; glowing fiery-red.

(B) **ETOILE de HOLLANDE**—A large, bright red.

(C) **PICTURE**—A glowing, sparkling, dainty pink.

(D) **MRS. P. S. DUPONT**—Lovely, non-fading yellow.

(E) **TALISMAN**—Golden yellow and copper.

(F) **KONIGEN LOUISE**—Best and purest white of them all.

(G) **CHRISTOPHER STONE**—A fragrant velvety crimson.

(H) **THE DOCTOR**—One of the largest and a fine pink.

(I) **GOLDEN COUNTESS**—A glowing golden beauty.

(J) **ROUGE MELLERIN**—A brilliant scarlet—reddest of the red.

**PRICES: (\$1.15 ea.) (3 for \$3.15) (6 for \$6.00) (12 for \$10.95) Prepaid**

*You will find the finest Roses of all types on these pages*

## FOUR FAMOUS DAHLIAS

All 4 Pictured on This Page Only \$1.98 Prepaid

**COMMANDO**—Big, dark lavender-blue flowers averaging better than a foot across. Strikingly beautiful, it is generally considered to be the best of its color. Here is a dahlia you will always be proud to exhibit. (75c each) (3 for \$2.00) prepaid.

**MRS. GEORGE LE BOUTILLIER**—Bright, rich carmine-red blooms like glowing velvet. The giant flowers never fail to attract the attention of visitors. Plants are healthy and vigorous; we know you'll like them. (60c each) (3 for \$1.60) prepaid.

**SHARAZAD**—Massive blooms of deep rose-pink on long, strong stems. The plants of medium height bloom profusely and are easy to grow well. Many times a prize-winner. (75c each) (3 for \$2.00) prepaid.

**THE COMMODORE**—Far and away the finest yellow. Its gigantic blossoms of clear lemon-yellow, often 12 inches across, will bring sunshine into your garden even on cloudy days. It is really superb! (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.

SHARAZAD

COMMODORE

Mrs. Geo. L. Le Boutillier

COMMANDO



# Burgess' ANNUAL FLOWER SEED

for Cut Flowers,  
Fragrance and  
Quick Results

You can afford to be lavish with colorful annuals to brighten your foundation planting, shrubbery and perennial borders. Annuals bloom from early summer until frost. Our tested flower seeds are mailed prepaid.

## CUT FLOWER MIXTURE

Our popular mixture of brightly colored, easily grown, freely blooming annuals furnishes a variety of flowers for cutting from early summer until frost. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.75).

## ORNAMENTAL VINE MIXTURE

A "prize-package" assortment of fast-growing annual climbers for covering porches, trellises, arbors, fences, stumps, etc., with foliage and bright flowers. Useful for carpeting terraces or banks and on rock piles. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 60c).

## SPECIAL!!

You will find that this carefully blended mixture of large-flowering Marigolds is really EXTRA-special! It includes such choice varieties as Sunset Giants, Mission Giants, Crown of Gold and Yellow Supreme. Order **BURGESS SPECIAL MARIGOLD MIXTURE** (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

# ASTERS

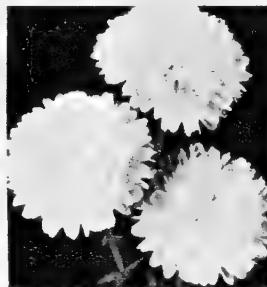
The annual or "China" Asters are easily grown, requiring only rich, well-drained soil and plenty of sun. Plants started from seed indoors 4 to 6 weeks ahead of your usual outdoor planting time begin to bloom in early summer but plants from seed sown outdoors after frost blossom over a long period. Varieties designated as "W. R." are wilt-resistant.



## QUEEN of the MARKET

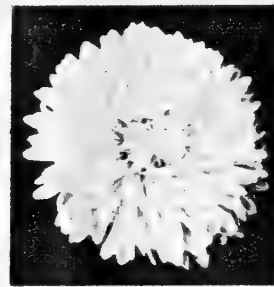
Earliest of All

**W. R. Superb** for bedding and cutting. Plants 20" high, branching freely from close to ground, long stems. Best for the South. Very double flowers in your choice of **Crimson, Dark Blue, Light Blue, Pink, White or Scarlet**: (Pkt. 15c). Also offered in **Mixed Colors**: (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 50c).



## POMPON ASTERS

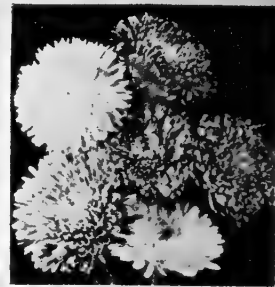
Early-flowering, upright, compact, 15" plants. Small, round flowers in good range of Aster colors from white to darkest red with 30 to 50 on a single plant. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).



## SENSATION

Covered with Double Blooms

**W. R. Reddest** of Asters; flowers glow like live coals. Plants 18-20" high, compact, well-branched, covered with double flowers 3½" wide. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



## PRINCESS ASTER

**W. R. First** offered last year, this new type Aster received hearty applause from our customers. 3 to 3½" flowers on long stems have crested centers that remain full when the several rows of encircling petals are fully open. Florists praise it for cutting and its long-keeping qualities. Has the delicate colors like orchid, pink, rose, yellow and blue. In mixture only. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## Burgess Special ASTER MIXTURE

This blend of seeds of all the varieties of Asters described on these two pages offers you a mixture of all the popular types at low cost. The mixture is carefully balanced for color and variety. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).



## ← HELICHRYSUM

(Strawflowers or Immortelles)

Gay in the summer garden and unexcelled for winter bouquets, our large-flowering strain has beautiful blossoms in manifold hues of red, violet, purple, rose, pink, salmon, yellow and white. To preserve for winter use, cut when flowers are partly opened, tie in small, loose bunches and hang with heads down (to keep stems straight) in a cool, shady place to dry slowly. **Mixed seed only.** (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 60c).

## MORNING GLORIES

### RED, WHITE and BLUE COLLECTION

3 Pkt.—one each of Scarlet O'Hara, Pearly Gates and Heavenly Blue—for only 35c.

**DOUBLE → MORNING GLORY ROSE MARIE**—Lovely, deep rose-pink flowers like the double ruffled Petunias. Begins blooming early and continues all summer and fall. Used on trellis, porch, arbor, fence, etc. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 80c). **SUPERB MIXED MORNING GLORIES**—Not ill.—(Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (oz. 50c).



## ← SUNSET GIANTS

**SUNSET GIANTS**—Largest flowers of any Marigold with real fragrance instead of the usual aroma. Mixture of colors from deep orange through golden shades of orange and yellow, light yellow and lemon to delightful primrose. Plants are 3½ to 4 ft. high. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).

**CROWN OF GOLD**—Bright, golden orange flowers 2½-in. across of the popular collarette type. Foliage odorless and flowers fragrant. You'll like it. 2 ft. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

**ALL DOUBLE ORANGE**—Deep golden orange African Marigold with large, quilled flowers 30-in. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).

**ALL DOUBLE LEMON**—Like above except in color. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).

**YELLOW SUPREME**—Broad, loose, frilled petals of creamy lemon-yellow form artistic flowers often compared with carnations or peonies. Blossoms sweet-scented and foliage practically odorless. Plants vigorous and easy-to-grow. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 50c).



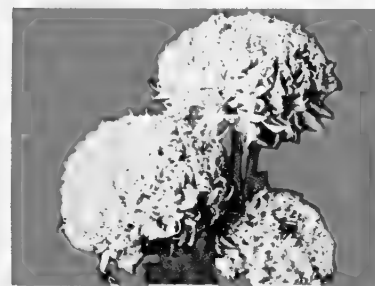
## ← MINIATURE MARIGOLD

Bright, single, golden-yellow flowers and fern-like foliage on 8-in. plants for edgings. Continual bloom. (Pkt. 15c) (½ oz. 45c).

## DOUBLE DWARF FRENCH

Choice mixture of yellow, bronze and mahogany shades on compact plants 10 to 12 in. high. Constantly in flower. Best on soil that is not very rich. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

# MARIGOLDS



## MISSION GIANTS

Good for Cutting

Orange, yellow and lemon yellow flowers 4 to 5 inches across on stems long enough for cutting. Vigorous plants 18" high. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).

## GIANT RUST-RESISTANT SNAPDRAGONS→

Everybody loves Snapdragons (Antirrhinum) and now that rust-resisting varieties have been achieved everybody can grow them again. They're wonderful for cutting. Flower spikes to 3 ft. and each flower to 1½ in. across. We offer fine seed of the following varieties:

**ALASKA.** Pure white.  
**CAMPFIRE.** Glowing scarlet.  
**CANARY BIRD.** Chartreuse.  
**CRIMSON.** (That's it!)  
**LOVELINESS.** Soft, rose-pink.  
**ROSALIE.** Deep rose, large flowers.

**RUST-RESISTANT. MIXED**—(Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (½ oz. \$1.00).

### Rust-Resistant

### Snapdragon Collection

A packet each of Campfire—Rosalie—Alaska—Canary Bird—Loveliness. All 5 Packets only \$1.00 prepaid.

### Giant Ruffled "Tetra Snaps"

A mixture of tetraploid Snapdragons that are marvels of modern plant science. Individual flowers 2-in. across profusely borne on strong spikes branching freely from the base. Includes all Snapdragon colors. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).



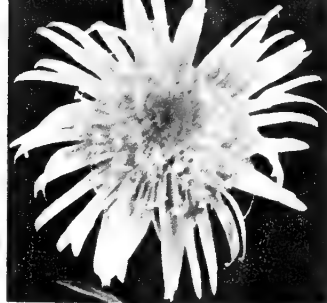


## Wilt-Resistant CREGO

Big double flowers 4-5" across with long, ribbon-like petals gracefully curled and twisted. The effect is fluffy and feathery. Robust plants 2½' high. In bloom by mid-August. Crego Asters are our most popular type. They are easy to grow and this strain is wilt-resistant. Your choice of colors: **Azure Blue, Crimson, Dark Violet, Shell Pink or White** at (15c Pkt.) only. Offered in mixed colors at (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).

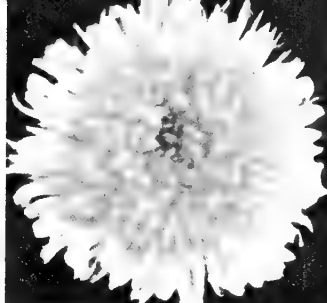
### Wilt Resistant Aster Collection

One packet each of W. R. Crego mixed, W. R. Queen of the Market mixed, W. R. American Branching mixed, W. R. Golden Sheaf and W. R. Sensation. (All 5 pkts. only 55c).



## GIANT SUNSHINE

Bright anemone-flowered Asters whose delicate beauty must be seen to be fully appreciated. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



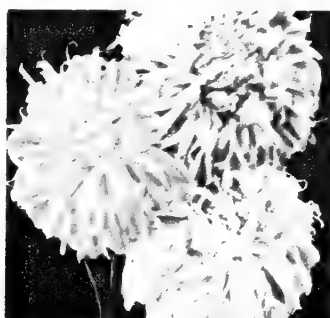
## GOLDEN SHEAF

W. R. Deepest yellow Aster yet offered. Choice for cutting and keeps well in water. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 80c).



## AMERICAN BRANCHING

W. R. Asters. Plants 2-2½', branching, robust. Large, double flowers in late August. **Mixed colors:** (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 50c).



## GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Large flowers of Crego type on sturdy, 3' plants. Colorful and open well when cut in bud. **Mixed colors:** (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 75c).



## SUPER GIANT ASTERS

Improved varieties of the Giants of California type with extra large, extra double flowers, their petals curled and interlaced like ostrich feathers.

**EL MONTE.** Huge flowers of deep, glowing crimson.

**LOS ANGELES.** Large blossoms of soft pink.

**BEVERLY HILLS.** Big, azure blue flowers.

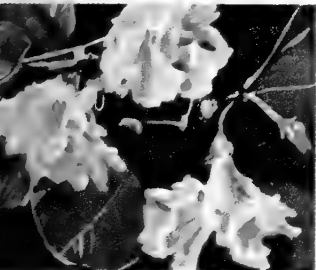
W. R.

**HOLLYWOOD.** Giant blooms of lovely, pure white. W. R.

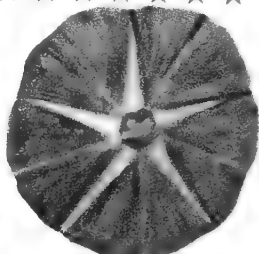
Prices of above named varieties: (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

**SUPER GIANT ASTER PACKET COLLECTION:** 1 Pkt. each of the 4 varieties, only 70c.

**SUPER GIANT ASTER JUMBO COLLECTION:** 1 Jumbo Pkt. each of the 4 varieties, for \$1.75.



Double Morning Glory  
Rose Marie



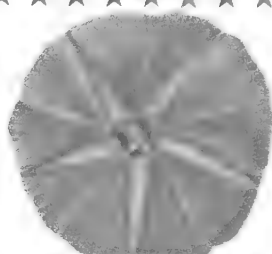
## GIANT IMPERIAL

Largest flowers: all colors intermingled. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



## PEARLY GATES

Purest white, 4½" flowers. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 70c).



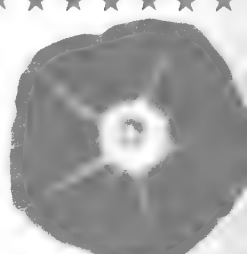
## SCARLET O'HARA

Vivid 4" flowers freely produced. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 70c).



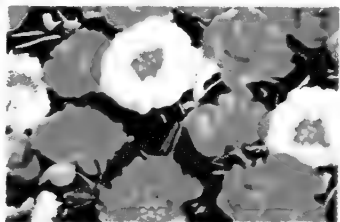
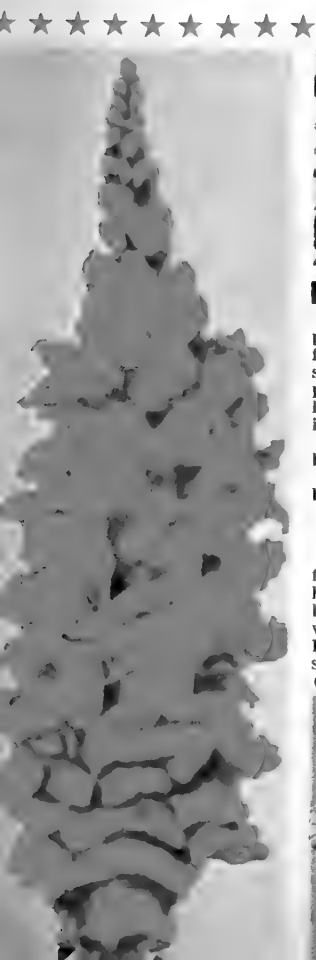
## HEAVENLY BLUE

Most popular; sky blue 5" blooms. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 65c).



## DARLING

Showiest; wine-red with snow-white throat. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).



## PORTULACA or Rose Moss

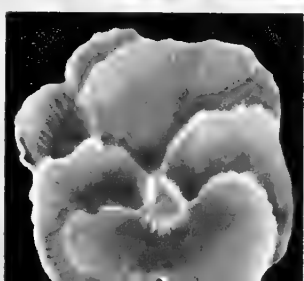
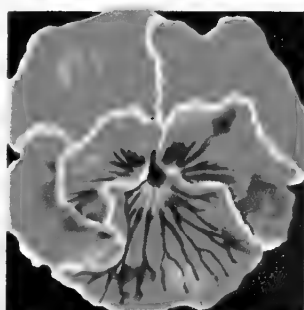
These gaily flowering, creeping plants are always in prolific bloom from early summer to frost. Brightest scarlet, orange-scarlet, yellow, vivid purple, pink, rose and white. Like little double and single roses. Thrive in light, sandy loam in full sun.

**DOUBLE MIXED.** (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 75c).

**SINGLE MIXED.** (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 50c).

## Annual CINERARIA

(Brachycome iberidifolia). Free flowering, easily grown annual, 10-in. high, covered with dainty flowers in blue, purple, rosy lilac and white with dark eye. Also called Swan River Daisy. For edgings, massing in small beds or pot culture. (Pkt. 10c) (½ oz. 40c).



## ← SWISS GIANTS

### "Super Giant"

Often called "super giant," plants are robust and flowers are really big; often 3½-in. across with stiff stems. Richest reds, coppers, bronzes and yellows, plus the choice rosy pinks and rare light blues. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c) (½ oz. \$1.50).

## ← FELIX (New)

### "Cat's Whiskers"

"The Cat's Whiskers!" See them in flower at left. Ruffled flowers in all pansy colors —apricot, purple, wine, bronze pastels, smoky hues, yellow and blue. Notice the ruffles. (Pkt. 50c).

## ← TRIMARDEAU

### Economy Beauties

(Giant Bedding). Beautiful, popular, dependable, good-sized pansies; full range of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. \$1.00).

## Prize PANSIES

### PANSY BARGAIN

A packet each of all 4 varieties. Only \$1.25.

## ENGELMANN'S GIANT ↓

Unsurpassed for size, beauty, thick velvety texture and wide range of colors. Long stiff stems ideal for cutting. Light, dark and intermediate shades, flowers blotched, spotted, splashed and striped. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25) (½ oz. \$2.50).



# SWEET PEAS

## GIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEAS

Highest achievement in Sweet Peas. Beautifully ruffled and frilled, producing large wavy flowers with a double appearance. Long stems with four fully developed blooms, a half larger than old Spencers.

**RUFFLED BLUE.** Bright, clear blue.  
**RUFFLED CRIMSON.** Rich, satiny crimson that deepens toward edges.

**FLUFFY RUFFLES.** Lovely rich rose-pink of exquisite texture and fragrance.

**RUFFLED ORCHID.** Warm lavender-rose that produces a delicate orchid shade.

**RUFFLED WHITE.** Purest white of gigantic size.

**PRICES:** (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

**GIANT RUFFLED MIXED** (all colors). (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.50).

**COLLECTION:** 1 Pkt. each of Blue, Crimson, White, Fluffy Ruffles and Orchid. All 5 Pkts. only 80c prepaid.

## CUTHBERTSON SWEET PEAS

### Heat-Resistant

The spring-flowering Cuthbertsons come into bloom halfway between the Early Flowering and Giant Spencer types. The blooms are not quite so large, but they bloom more profusely. Stout stems are extremely long and fine for cutting. They have the ability to resist heat and continue blooming all summer long. A complete range of colors. Mixed colors (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (Oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.50).

## GIANT SPENCER SWEET PEAS

Round open flower of huge size, sometimes 2 in. across, with wavy margins and long stems.

### BURGESS' "Special" BLEND OF GIANT SPENCERS

This mixture contains 35 distinct varieties in a perfect blend of colors—as near perfection as we can make it. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (Oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.50).

### "Select" MIXTURE OF GIANT SPENCERS

This mixture contains many of the named Spencer varieties, including recent novelties and superb new seedlings. A grand variety of shades and colors. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (Oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.10).

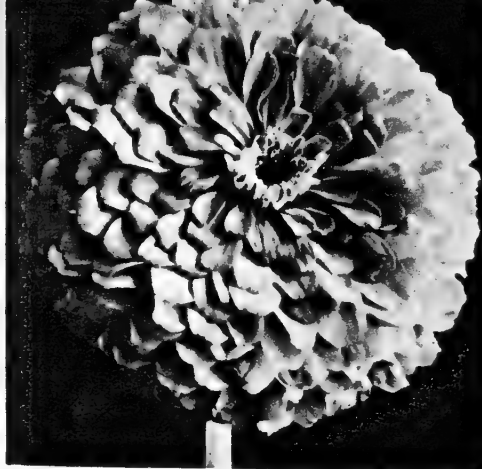
### EARLY FLOWERING SPENCERS

Our Early-flowering Spencers come into bloom from 3 to 4 weeks earlier than the Giants. Valuable for greenhouse culture, for outdoor planting in sections of the South where later varieties cannot be successfully grown, and for early blooms in cool climates.

Choice mixture of all shades and colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (Oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.50).

## CUPID SWEET PEAS

The Cupid or Dwarf Sweet Peas are excellent for bedding and borders; form a line of emerald green foliage a little over a foot wide and 8 in. high, and from June until late summer are literally a sheet of bloom. All the best colors and shades mixed. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (Oz. \$1.00) (¼ lb. \$3.00).



## GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Largest of all. Magnificent double flowers 5 to 6 in. across with overlapping petals. Well-branched plants grow 3 ft. with long, stiff stems. Mixture of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ Oz. 75c).



### ← SCABIOSA Flowered Zinnia

3 in. flowers with row of broad outer petals surrounding a deep, full cushion crown of quill-like petals like Scabiosa. Mixture of exquisite colors and shades. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).

## ZINNIA COLLECTION

- 1—Dahlia-Flw. Mix
- 1—Tom Thumb
- 1—Linearis
- 1—Giants of Calif.
- All 4 only 50c

## SUPER-GIANT MIXTURE

Burgess' Super-Giant Mix is a select, well-balanced blend of all the best colors of Giants of California and Giant Dahlia-Flowered Zinnias. Unsurpassed for a colorful display or for cut flowers. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 75c).

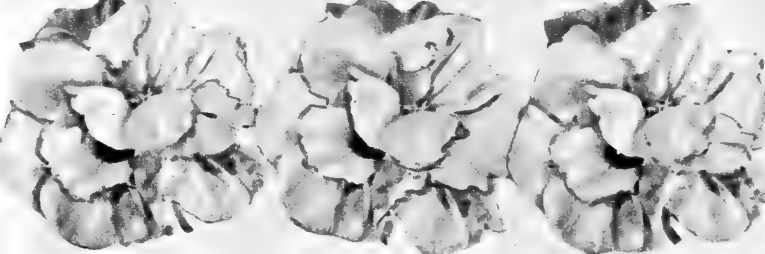
## CUT-FLOWER ZINNIAS

**EARLY WONDER MIXED.** This "earliest of all Zinnias" is different in that it is basal branching and produces its blooms on 20 in. stems without laterals, making it ideal for cutting. Fully double flowers 3 to 4 in. across in fine mixture of all colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 65c).



## PEPPERMINT STICK ZINNIA

A completely new, cut-and-come-again Zinnia with striped colors that remind you of Peppermint Stick. Combinations of red and white, orange and yellow, and purple and white striping. 3 ft. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 65c).



## NASTURTIUMS

### SINGLE-FLOWERED

**DWARF.** All shades and colors. Free-blooming and fine for beds, borders and rockeries, as well as cutting. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 90c).

**TALL.** Choicest colors in tall singles. Fine for fence or trellis. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 30c) (¼ lb. 90c).

### ← DOUBLE GLOBE TYPE

Dwarf, compact bushes 1 ft. high, fragrant flowers on long stems.

**DWARF GOLDEN GLOBE**  
Giant, golden-yellow double flowers of amazing size and beauty. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.25).

**DWARF SCARLET GLOBE**  
Fiery scarlet, double blooms of huge size. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.35).

**DWARF GLOBE HYBRIDS**  
Colors from yellow to deep maroon. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. \$1.00).



# PETUNIAS

## PETUNIA COLLECTION

- 1—Miniature Hybrids
- 1—Balcony Mix
- 1—Bedding Mix
- All 3 Pkts. only 45c

## ← MINIATURE PETUNIAS

Neat, compact, ball-shaped plants 6 to 8 in. high and 8 in. in diameter literally smothered with flowers—often 30 at once time.

**BRIGHT EYES.** Light rose-pink with white throat. Largest blooms in miniatures. (Pkt. 20c).

**IGLOO.** Flowers as white as name implies. (Pkt. 20c).

**NORMA.** Delicate blue with white star throat. (Pkt. 20c).

**TWINKLES.** Rich rose with white star throat. (Pkt. 20c).

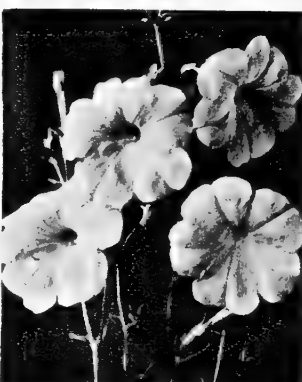
**VIOLET QUEEN.** Rich violet-blue flowers 2" across. (Pkt. 20c).

**HYBRIDS.** A select mixture of white, blue, red, rose and pink shades. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

### Miniature Petunia Collection

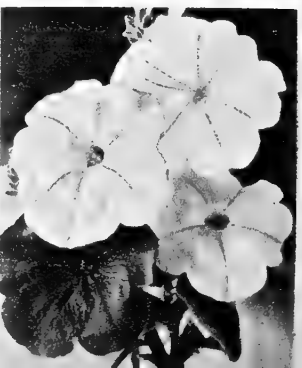
- 1 Pkt. each of
- BRIGHT EYES
- IGLOO
- TWINKLES
- VIOLET QUEEN
- NORMA

All 5 only 85c



## ← BALCONY PETUNIAS

Best type for porch boxes, hanging baskets, beds, terraces or among rockwork. Individual blossoms 3 in. in diameter and borne so profusely they cover plant whole season. Our mixture contains the most popular colors, including velvety purple, brilliant rose-pink, pure white, etc. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).



## TRIUMPH of the GIANTS

The largest single Petunia. Flowers often measure 7 in. across. Gorgeous colors and markings. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

## BEDDING PETUNIAS

### FIRECHIEF →

The brilliant fiery-red Petunia. Its dwarf, compact habit makes it ideal for border or bed. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

### BEDDING MIXTURE

A splendid mixture of single bedding varieties. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).

### DAINTY LADY →

A distinct new color in Petunias. Delicate golden-yellow single flowers of medium size, beautifully fringed and produced in generous quantities on neat compact, semi-dwarf plants. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

### FLAMING VELVET →

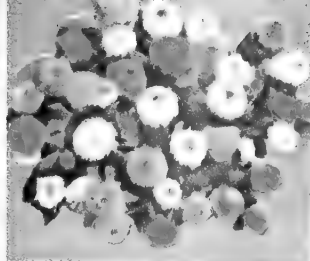
Velvety, deep mahogany-red with a luster of scarlet. Magnificent, large, single blossoms in great profusion. Semi-compact plants. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).





### LINEARIS

This unusual dwarf is only 8 to 10 in. tall and 1 to 2 feet through, has literally hundreds of tiny golden-orange blooms at one time. Perfect for edging. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



### TOM THUMB

4 to 6 in. plants, compact and covered with well formed perfectly double flowers. Colors range through red, orange, yellow, pink rose, etc. A most effective border plant and excellent for bouquets. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 85c).



### DAHLIA FLOWERED

This type bears flowers of mammoth size and in form like a perfect Decorative Dahlia. A strong grower with long, stiff stems. A complete range of delicate, bright and rich colors from white, yellow, lavender and rose to orange, scarlet and crimson. A wonderful cut flower.

**CANARY BIRD.** Brightest canary yellow.

**CRIMSON MONARCH.** Rich crimson-scarlet.

**DREAM.** Deep lavender.

**EXQUISITE.** Rose-pink with deep rose center.

**ORIOLE.** Orange, shaded gold.

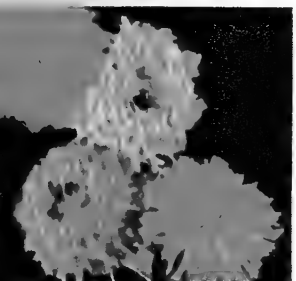
**POLAR BEAR.** Best White Zinnia.

**SCARLET FLAME.** Rich orange-scarlet.

**PRICE:** (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

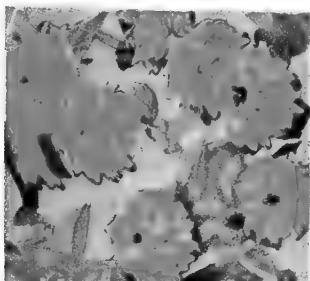
**COLLECTION:** 1 each of 7 Pkts. above only 95c.

**MIXED.** A wonderful range of the above and other beautiful colors. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 60c).



### Giant Cactus-Flowered

Improved Fantasy. Large 5 in. blooms of irregular quilled petals, like a shaggy chrysanthemum. Complete range of colors from brightest reds and oranges to pastel pinks and creams. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).



### CREeping ZINNIA

(Sanvitalia Procumbens.) Not a true Zinnia, but the small double flowers of deep golden yellow look much like it. Blooms all summer and fall, the 6 in. plants covered with flowers. (Pkt. 10c) (½ oz. 50c).

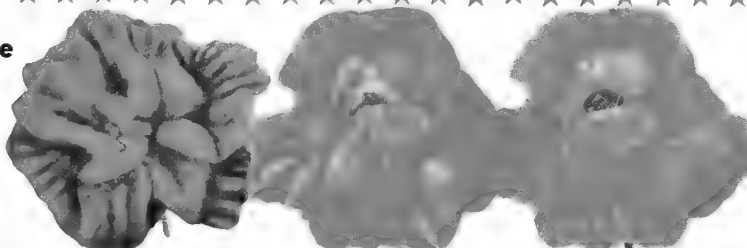


### DOUBLE Gleam Type

A semi-dwarf type, forming vigorous large bushes. Flowers are large, double and semi-double, sweet-scented and borne on long, erect, stiff stems.

### Nasturtium Collection

1 each of the 3 Gleam types at the right. 3 Pkts. only 35c.



### GOLDEN GLEAM

A mass of large, sweet scented golden yellow semi-double flowers. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.15)

### SCARLET GLEAM

Rich, dazzling orange-scarlet double blooms of immense size. (Pkt. 15c) (oz. 45c) (¼ lb. \$1.25).

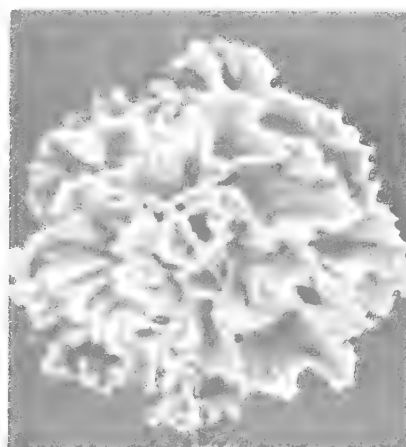
### DBLE GLEAM HYBRIDS

Immense 3" flowers in widerange of reds, oranges, yellows and crimsons. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. \$1.00).



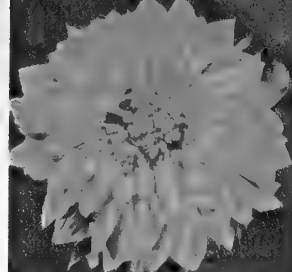
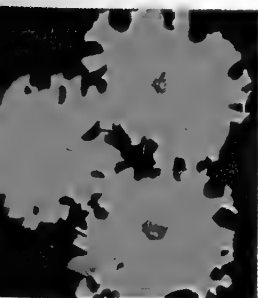
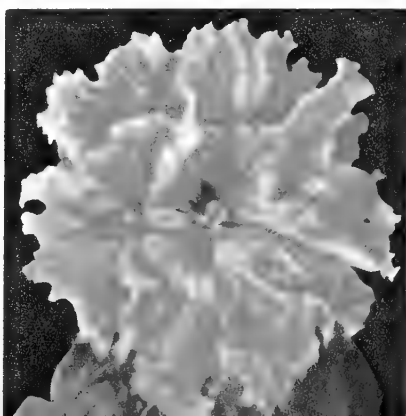
### All Double GIANT FRINGED→

**VICTORIOUS MIXED.** These are the mammoth "All-Double" Giant Fringed Petunias. The dwarf compact plants grow about 10 in. high and are suitable for borders, beds and for potting. The flowers are exquisitely fringed and duplexed and come in a wonderful assortment of colors and combinations. Blooms measure up to 5 in. across. (Pkt. 100 seeds, \$1.00).



### RUFFLED GIANTS→ Largest of All

Ruffled Giants are truly giant-flowering Petunias. Their blooms measure up to 6 in. across and are deeply ruffled. A wide range of colors and color combinations. Fine for cutting as well as for borders and window boxes. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

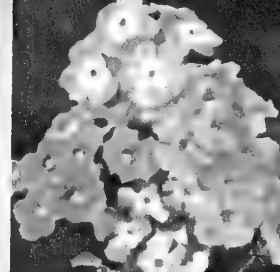
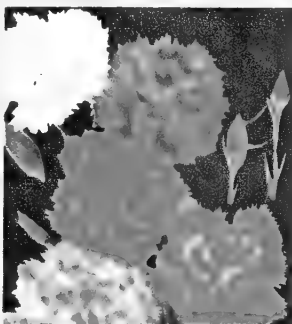


### DAHLIA SEED

As easily grown from seed as nasturtiums. Bloom 1st year.

**BURGESS' SPECIAL MIXTURE.** A select mixture of Cactus-Flowered, Hybrid-Cactus, Ball or show type, Decorative and Peony-Flowered. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

**UNWIN'S DWARF BEDDING.** 18 to 24 in. plants are striking in beds or borders. They are semi-double and come in many color combinations. Blooms early and to frost. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).



### ANNUAL PHLOX

Phlox Drummondii. Easily grown from seed.

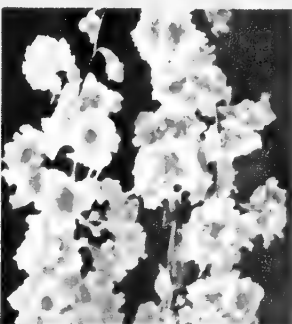
**LARGE-FLOWERED MIXED.** 15 in. tall with large flower heads. All best colors. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 65c).

**STARRED AND FRINGED MIXED.** Star-shaped pointed petals very different and slightly smaller, but with brilliant colors. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 75c).



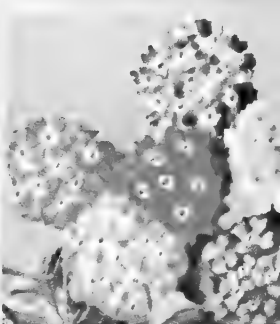
### CARNATIONS

**MARGUERITE MIXED.** These are deservedly the most popular Carnations with the amateur, as they begin flowering in four months after seed is sown. Sown early, the plants will bloom during the later summer and early fall, and by repeated sowings they may be had in bloom all winter in conservatory. A fine mixture of colors, including red, pink, yellow and white. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (¼ oz \$1.00).



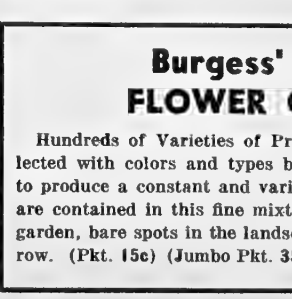
### SALPIGLOSSIS

**DWARF GIANTS.** Gorgeous, funnel-shaped flowers of rich velvety texture. Wonderful range of colors including crimson, primrose, purple and gold, rose and gold, scarlet and gold and white and gold all charmingly penciled, netted and veined. Blooms 3 in. across on plants 20 in. tall. Bloom all summer. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).



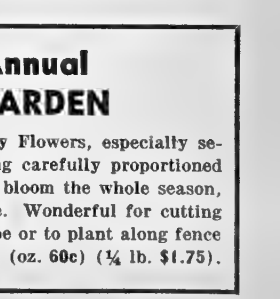
### CLARKIA

**ELEGANS DOUBLE.** Blooming like a flowering almond, this easily grown annual does well in poor soil, either sun or shade. Grows 2 to 3 ft, with beautiful double flowers. A fine mixture of colors from pure white, flesh pink, bright pink, rose and salmon to the orange, orange-scarlet, etc. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).



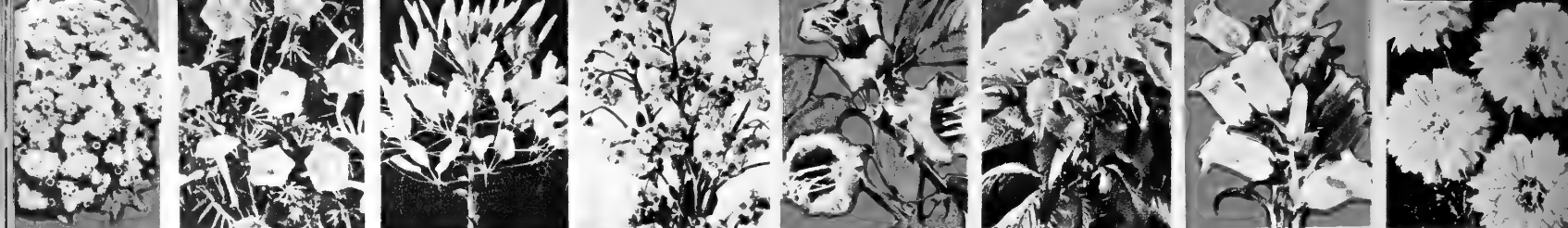
### VERBENA

Our strain of Mammoth Verbena is free blooming, very large and the finest we know of. The clusters of showy flowers are borne in constant succession from June to frost. It contains the complete range of Verbena colors. Good for beds, borders and window boxes. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).



### Burgess' Annual FLOWER GARDEN

Hundreds of Varieties of Pretty Flowers, especially selected with colors and types being carefully proportioned to produce a constant and varied bloom the whole season, are contained in this fine mixture. Wonderful for cutting garden, bare spots in the landscape or to plant along fence row. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (oz. 60c) (¼ lb. \$1.75).



**AGERATUM**  
**MIDGET**  
**BLUE.** Dwarf, edging plants covered with clear, azure-blue flowers. Height 3 to 4". (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

**CARDINAL CLIMBER**  
Fast-growing annual climber to 25'. Beautiful fern-like foliage ablaze with fiery, cardinal-red flowers from mid-summer until frost. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

**CLEOME pungens**  
Robust plants 4 to 5' high with great, salmon-pink panicles of bloom. Plants from seed sown in open ground in May blossom July to frost. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).

**Chinese Forget-Me-Not**  
A garden gem. Lovely, brilliant blue or pink flowers on shapely plants from late spring until frost. **BLUE** (Pkt. 15c). **PINK** (Pkt. 25c).

**COBAEA scandens**  
(Cup- and Saucer-vine; Cathedral-bells.) Annual climber 30 to 50'. Large, bell-shaped flowers are first green, then turn beautiful lilac-purple. Unusual. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

**MOLTEN-FIRE**  
Magnificent foliage plant to 3'. Leaves are bronze until plants are 2' high, then turn gradually into a bonfire of crimson-rose, lasting 3 months or more. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).

**Annual CAMPANULA**  
Like Canterbury-bells but bloom first season if sown early indoors and set outside after frost. 2 to 2½'. Mixed pink, rose, light blue, dark blue and white. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).

**Annual MUMS**  
Bloom profusely summer and fall; fine for cutting. Mixed colors, doubles and singles. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



**CENTAUREA**  
Corn Flower (or Bachelor's Button.) Choice, double-flowering strain; used in bouquets. Mixed colors. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

**BALSAM**  
Colorful flowers like tiny camellias fill symmetrical bushy plants. Good for borders, bedding or in pots. About 2'. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 40c).

**LACE-FLOWER**  
Lacy, lavender-blue flowers 2½" across on 2' stems, fine for cutting from July to hard frosts. Keeps well in water. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

**CANDYTUFT**  
Popular, low annual for bedding, borders and cutting. Sown in April, flowers in June. Finest mixture of white, pink, lilac and red. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

**AFRICAN DAISY**  
Gorgeous daisies 2½" across in white, cream, yellow, orange and rose. Easy to grow and early to bloom. About 1'. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

**GAILLARDIA**  
Colorful as a Navajo Indian blanket. Long stems for cutting. Quite free flowering from early summer until late fall. Mixture of bright colors. (Pkt. 16c) (¼ oz. 40c).

**MOONFLOWER**  
Sweet scented flowers to 6" across on fast growing vines 20' high. Dense foliage furnishes shade. Mixed pink and white. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 45c) (oz. 80c).

**KOCHIA**  
The annual that looks like an evergreen. Red in fall. 2½'. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (oz. 50c) (¼ lb. \$1.35).



**TITHONIA**  
**TORCH.** In brilliant bloom from August until frost and only waist-high. Keeps long in water. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

**SALVIA**  
**FIREBALL:** Early, continuous bloomer; plants uniform in size. 1½'. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c) (¼ oz. \$1.50).  
**SPLENDENS:** Brilliant scarlet flowers. 3 to 4'. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. \$1.00).

## CALENDULA

Often called Scotch or Pot Marigold, Calendulas are popular, indispensable annuals which can always be relied upon to furnish cut flowers and continuous bloom in the garden from May until frost in the north—practically all year 'round in the south. We are offering you this year a superb mixture of the finest, newest strains with long, straight stems ideal for cutting and big, well-formed flowers in clear, bright yellow, golden yellow, orange and orange-red, some with lacinated petals. Order the **SPECIAL CALENDULA MIXTURE** (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 75c).

## DIANTHUS (PINKS)

Old-fashioned, sweet-scented flowers borne in profusion first year from seed sown in April. Mulch over winter for a second season of bloom.

**DOUBLE MIXED.** Clusters of brightly colored, very double flowers. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 45c).

**SINGLE MIXED.** Big 2", clustered flowers on 16" stems, fine for cutting. Full range of colors. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 40c).

**SWEET WIVELSFIELD.** Like Sweet William but blooms early first season from seed. 12". (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 60c).

## CELOSIA

Colorful and easy to grow. Sow in ordinary soil after ground warms up.



Celosia

**CHINESE WOOL FLOWER.** (Photo.) Spectacular woolly blooms often 2' around. Plants 2½ to 3'. Mixture of crimson, white and yellow. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 45c).

**FIRE FEATHER.** Fiery crimson plumes on 12" plants. Free blooming. Good for window boxes. (Pkt. 25c).

**PLUMED CELOSIA.** Of pyramidal growth with brilliant red and yellow plumes waving gracefully above the plants. 2½ to 3'. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 45c).

## LARKSPUR

Lovely spires of light and dark blue and pink, lilac, rose, red, salmon and white. Blooms by July if sown in April.

**GIANT IMPERIAL.** Large, double flowers on 3 to 4' spikes branching from the base. Fine mixture of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).

**SUPERFINE MIXTURE.** Resembles perennial Delphinium but with a tremendous color range. This splendid strain of annual larkspur will make your garden a showplace. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 60c).



## DWARF COCKSCOMB

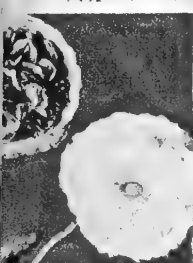
This popular species of Celosia does well in light soils that are not very rich. Makes a delightful cut flower; keeps borders colorful all summer. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).



**FOUR O'CLOCK**  
Myriad bright, fragrant flowers; glossy foliage. 2'. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (oz. 40c) (¼ lb. \$1.00).



**LINARIA**  
**NORTHERN LIGHTS:** This "baby snapdragon" blooms quickly from seed. Bright, vibrant hues. 12". (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).



**SHIRLEY POPPIES**  
Gorgeous mixture. Order **SINGLE** or **DOUBLE**. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c).



**NICOTIANA**  
Plant near porch or window for evening fragrance. Easily grown and free-flowering. 3' Mixed colors. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 40c).

## EVERLASTINGS for Winter Bouquets

You don't need a greenhouse to have cut flowers during the winter. Sow these easily grown Everlastings outdoors in spring, cut the flowers at the peak of their beauty, tie them in small bunches and hang them heads down in a dry place until needed for winter bouquets. Our popular mixture of the best kinds. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## GLOBE AMARANTH

You may know it as "Everlasting Bachelor's Button." Our mixture includes all colors including white, pink shades, lilac, bronze and yellow. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).





Cosmos Sensation

## COSMOS for All Season Bloom

**EARLY DOUBLE.** Lovely crested or anemone-shaped flowers 2 to 2½ in. across. Frequently double and single flowers on same plant. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

**SENSATION.** Enormous blooms 4 to 6 in. across on long stems. Plant 4 to 6 ft. tall. Mixture contains white, crimson, rose and pink. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 50c).

**RADIANCE.** Like Sensation only center is rich crimson and other half of petals a deep rose. (Pkt. 15c).

## ACROCLINIUM

Handsome everlasting with white and pink flowers an inch in size with fine petals and silky appearance. Cut in bud and dry for winter. (Pkt. 15c).

## SWEET ALYSSUM

**LITTLE GEM.** A perfect "carpet of snow" which blooms from spring to frost. 4 in. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 50c).

## VIOLET QUEEN

**VIOLET QUEEN.** New, dwarf compact form with brilliant violet flower. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## Rainbow AMARANTHUS

Mixed — Many varieties including brilliant blood red and gorgeous variegated red, green and yellow foliage, too. 3 ft. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## Showy CALLIOPSIS

**TALL, ALL-DOUBLE MIXED.** Flowers 1 to 1½ in. across on 3 ft. plants. Free-flowering in any sunny spot. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 35c).

## Ornamental COTTON

Cotton makes a very ornamental plant in the North for any flower garden with large showy flowers, followed by large fluffy bolls of white cotton. Cannot be sent to Calif. (Pkt. 15c).

## DATURA WRIGHTII

Trumpet Flower. Handsome, hardy, 3 ft. high annual bearing immense trumpet-shaped flowers of white, tinged with lilac and 5 in. from early Summer to Fall. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo across. Fragrant. Started early, it will bloom Pkt. 50c).

## GODETIA—The Satin Flower

Bushy plants with masses of large, colorful blooms during summer and fall. Good for shady spots.

**TALL DOUBLE MIXED.** Large, double flowers in rose, pink, scarlet, lavender, white and combinations. 2 ft. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 65c).

**DWARF SINGLE MIXED.** Blooms 2½ to 3 in. borne on dwarf, bushy 12 in. plants. Balanced mixture of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 65c).

## RINCINUS—Castor Oil Plant

Ornamental Foliage. Drives away Moles, Grasshoppers and Jap Beetles.

Giant foliage plants up to 14 ft. by July, forming perfect pyramid of tropical-like foliage and brilliant colored fruit. Leaves 2 to 4 ft. across, dark green, coppery-bronze with reddish ribs. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 25c) (¼ lb. 75c).

## CALIFORNIA POPPY

**Eschscholtzia Single Mixed.** Dainty poppy-like flowers in mixture of carmine, orange-scarlet, white, yellow and orange shades. Grow 12 to 14 in. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 30c) (½ oz. 50c).

## GYPSOPHILA

**WHITE BABY'S BREATH.** A quick-growing annual with a profusion of bell-shaped white flowers. Ideal for bouquets with all other flowers. Grows 18 to 24 in. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

## Annual HOLLYHOCK

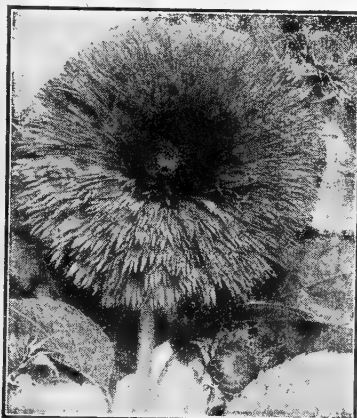
**INDIAN SPRING.** Large, showy, semi-double flowers in shades of pink and rose. Ideal for backgrounds. Grow 4 to 5 ft. tall. (Pkt. 10c) (½ oz. 40c).

## HYACINTH BEAN

**Dolichos.** A rapid growing climber with Wistaria-like clusters of flowers of white and purple. Grows to 10 ft. and is fine for screening porches. Attractive, ornamental seed pods. (Pkt. 15c).

## Evening Scented Stocks

**MATTHIOLA BICORNIS (the Perfume Plant).** No annual, even Mignonette, surpasses it for delicate perfume. Pink and lilac blossoms are partially closed during the day, but expand and produce their fragrance in the evening. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).



Chrysanthemum-Flowered Sunflower

## SUNFLOWERS

**DOUBLE Chrysanthemum-Flowered SUN GOLD.** Rich golden-yellow big as a man's hat. 5 ft. tall. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (oz. 70c).

**SINGLE RED.** Different shades of red and red margined with yellow. 2 to 5 in. flowers, 3 to 4 ft. tall. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (oz. 50c).

**MAMMOTH RUSSIAN.** Largest of all with heads up to 22 in. across. Immense quantity of seed, highly valued for poultry. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ lb. 25c) (lb. 65c) (5 lbs. \$2.75).

## JOB'S TEARS

A decorative ornamental grass bearing clusters of large seed. Used for making beads and other ornaments. (Pkt. 10c) (oz. 35c).

## POINSETTIA

**MEXICAN FIRE PLANT (Euphorbia Heterophylla).** Grows quickly from seed to 3 ft. About the middle of summer the top central leaves turn to rich orange-scarlet, similar to the greenhouse varieties, so popular at Christmas time. A blaze of glory thru summer and fall. (Pkt. 15c) (¼ oz. 50c).

Burgess Seed & Plant Co. Galesburg, Mich.



Large Flowered Scabiosa.

## Tall Double Scabiosa

**LARGE FLOWERED TALL DOUBLE.** 2½ ft. Exquisite shades of pink, rose, cherry red, fiery scarlet, white, yellow, amethyst, lavender, light and dark blue, purple, and soft shades predominating. July until frost. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (¼ oz. 45c).

## MIGNONETTE

**LARGE FLOWERED MIXED.** Many shades and types, all fragrant. Will bloom from early summer to frost; will also do well indoors in pots. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 35c).

## STRAWBERRY POPCORN

Tiny 2 in. ears are rich, shiny mahogany color like a huge Strawberry. Makes attractive table decoration with its decorative husk. It pops, too. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## Giant Yellow Tulip POPPY

**Hunnemannia fumariaefolia.** Magnificent, golden-yellow, tulip-shaped flowers. Blooms from July until frost. 2 ft. (Pkt. 15c).

## SCHIZANTHUS

**GIANT HYBRIDS.** These long-lasting dainty flowers are fine for making corsages. They have loads of charming blooms that completely obscure the delicate fern-like foliage. Come in white through shades of cream and pink to crimson and mauve. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## SNOW ON THE MOUNTAIN

(Euphorbia variegata). One of the finest foliage plants, attractively veined and margined with white. 2 ft. Excellent for beds and borders. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 40c).

## STATICE

**Sinuata Mixed.** Retains its true color when dried, making it one of the most valuable everlastings for winter bouquets. Blue and rose shades. (Pkt. 10c) (¼ oz. 30c).

## ICE PLANT

Fine trailing plant for borders and hanging baskets and valuable for dry, sunny situations on banks, rockwork, old walls, etc. Foliage with ice-like globules which glitter in sun. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## STOCKS

**GIANT IMPERIAL.** If sufficient room is given, the plants develop in enormous dimensions, forming magnificent bushes with long and thick flower stalks. If started early they will bloom from midsummer to frost, producing numerous spikes set with very large, double, delightfully fragrant blooms. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c) (¼ oz. 70c).



Giant Imperial Stocks



## ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

### Gay in the Garden, Too

Gourds make gay winter decorations when thoroughly ripened, cured and varnished. When painted in bright color combinations, they are very attractive braided in strings for wall decorations or when loosely arranged in flat bowls for the table. Many useful things are made from Gourds, such as hanging baskets, vases, wall pockets, fruit bowls, dippers, pipes, nest eggs, bird houses, toys, etc.

**ORNAMENTAL GOURDS, ALL KINDS MIXED.** Our Gourd mixture is an extra fine blend, including a great many kinds of all shapes and sizes. (Pkt. 10c) (Jumbo Pkt. 25c) (oz. 55c).

## Novelty BIRD PLANT

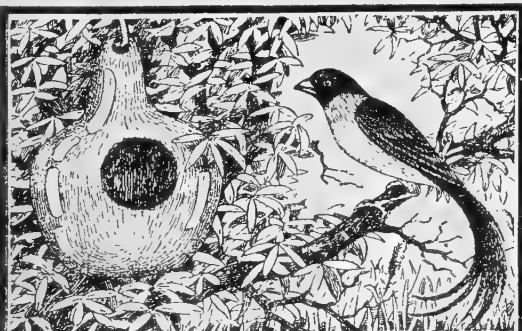
**UNICORN PLANT.** Although this is not a Gourd, we are listing it here because it is very effective when used in combination with Gourds. The seed pods have a distinct and curious appearance because of the long curved horn which splits into two parts as they ripen and harden. They may be painted to represent Humming Birds, Canaries, Blue Jays, etc. Mounted on a piece of sandpaper they are quite a distinct novelty. While its greatest interest is in the seed-pod stage, it has pretty flowers of pale yellow with purplish spots. The green seed pods are fine for pickles. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



Calabash Pipe Gourds staged and decorated as Penguins.

## PENGUIN GOURDS

These charming and curious snow birds attract the curiosity and admiration of everyone, and are easily made from Calabash Pipe Gourds. They make delightful gifts, and also find ready sale. The gourds are easily grown, and no particular skill is required, as the gourds are simply harvested when ripe, painted, mounted on a wooden or plaster base and absorbent cotton is placed around to represent snow. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).



## Gourds for Bird Houses

Attractive and inexpensive Bird Houses can easily be made from gourds. All that is needed is the right kind of gourd and a sharp knife. Hang these Gourd Bird Houses in trees and other places, away from the reach of cats, and they will attract many beautiful birds. Birds are not only ornamental in the garden and on the lawn, but are very beneficial, destroying worms and other insect pests. Plant some of our Bird House Gourd seed this spring and grow your own Bird Houses. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

# Hormone-Treated LAWN SEED

**Produces a More Beautiful Lawn**  
**Germinates Quicker—Withstands Drought**

Science has proven that Hormone-treated Grass Seed germinates quicker and produces a soft, luxuriant turf that is deeper rooted and **better able to withstand drought.** It is the modern, scientific way of securing a finer, more velvety, better colored, stronger growing, thicker turf, and a deeper root system which taps lower ground levels and brings more food and moisture to the plants.

Those who want the finest lawn must sow the finest seed. Those who sow Burgess' Lawn Grass, sow the best obtainable, and when such high quality seed is Hormone-treated, the results are simply amazing.

We use no timothy or clover in our mixtures. Avoid lawn mixtures which contain timothy. Timothy is a hay seed and produces coarse stems which ruin the lawn. It is used in cheap mixtures on account of its low price.

## Burgess' Evergreen Lawn Mixture

Composed of the finest lawn grasses. The best mixture obtainable, and in the end the most economical. High germination and free from chaff. One pound will sow 200 square feet. (1b. \$1.10) (5 lbs. \$5.00) prepaid. (Per lb. in 10 lb. lots or more 90c prepaid).

## Burgess' Shady Nook Lawn Mixture

On nearly every lawn are unsightly spots under trees, where grass does not do well. Our Shady Nook Mixture contains grasses which naturally grow in shady places. (1b. \$1.40) (5 lbs. \$6.00) prepaid. (Per lb. in 10 lb. lots or more \$1.10 prepaid.)



Treated plant has close to three times the root strength of untreated one.

## Highland Bent Grass

This is the most popular grass for golf courses and it is gaining in favor as a lawn grass. It makes a soft, beautiful lawn, and a sod that is wonderful for terraces. Rain cannot wash tiny ditches in your terrace; neither will your sidewalks or driveways be covered with dirt if you use Bent Grass on your lawn and terraces. Our Highland Bent is the best Bent Grass obtainable, and we consider that we are fortunate in being able to supply our customers with a superior quality of this splendid grass. Seed at the rate of 1 lb. for each 40 square feet. (½ lb. 95c) (1b. \$1.80) (5 lbs. \$8.00) prepaid. (Per lb. in 10 lb. lots or more \$1.50 prepaid.)

## White Clover

We have an Extra Fancy Dwarf White Clover that is especially fine for sowing with lawn grass mixtures. For this purpose we recommend one ounce to each pound of grass seed. Our Hormone-treated seed produces more than twice the usual root system in 9 weeks after planting. Pkt. (about one ounce), (Pkt. 15c) (¼ lb. 50c) (½ lb. 90c) (1b. \$1.60) (5 lbs. \$7.70) prepaid. (Per lb. in 10 lb. lots or more \$1.45 prepaid.)



## PLANT FOOD in TABLET FORM

Feed your Vegetables, Flowers, Roses and Shrubs the modern way—with ready-to-use PLANTABBS. Clean and odorless; absolutely reliable; easy to use. Increase production—more beautiful plants and flowers. Order today. Packaged as follows:

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## For Your Garden Library—

## The WISE GARDEN ENCYCLOPEDIA

We wish every one of our customers could own this book because it enables every gardener, expert or beginner, to enjoy more satisfactory results from the seeds, plants, and bulbs he buys. This one book is a complete garden library of over 1300 profusely illustrated pages. In it are found the answers to thousands of the questions our customers ask us every year. Arranged for ready reference, it gives the information of experts on your problems briefly but completely in clear, understandable language. It tells how to pronounce those difficult botanical names. Worth many times its price of (\$5.00) prepaid.



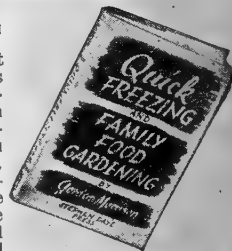
## Make Your Cut Flowers Last 5 to 10 Days Longer

Floralife is a bacteria-killing chemical, which, when added to the water, makes cut flowers last longer. No need to change the water or recut the stems. Saves work and saves your flowers. Used by florists everywhere. Each package of Floralife will treat 2 qts. of water. (3 pkgs. for 25c) (15 pkgs. for \$1.00) postpaid.

## "QUICK FREEZING and FAMILY FOOD GARDENING"

By Gordon Morrison

Mr. Morrison, plant geneticist for the Burgess Seed & Plant Co., has produced the authority on quick freezing for the family garden. He tells you how to do it and why, with all the various processes involved—which are the best and which the easiest. Along with it all he plans a year-round diet in terms of your garden—and just how to accomplish it. If you want a book on quick freezing that starts with the garden and carries it through to the freezer, you must have this new book. (\$2.85) prepaid.



## HAN TON

The Invisible Glove

Apply as you would a skin lotion; your hands are then ready for any dirty job. HANTON washes off and dirt goes with it.

A skin protector that keeps dirt and stains from coming in direct contact with the skin. Hundreds of gardeners are enjoying the protection an application of HANTON gives them from poison ivy, and blistering from sunburn. (8 oz. bottle \$1.25) prepaid.



**ALL LEATHER—WASHABLE**  
**Soft—Comfortable—Durable**

Outwear 6 pairs of ordinary fabric gloves, are washable and can be used the year round for garden, housework, yard, painting, furnace, garage, etc.

**WOMEN'S GLOVES.** Size 6 (Small); Size 7 (Medium); Size 8 (Large); \$1.50 per pair, postpaid.

**MEN'S GLOVES.** Size 8 (Small); Size 9 (Medium); Size 10 (Large); \$1.50 per pair, postpaid.

Be sure to specify size on your order.



# DASHEEN

## A Delicious Vegetable and Ornamental Foliage Plant

Large Tuberous Roots Used Like Potatoes, Blanched Stems Like Asparagus, and the Leaves Used for Greens, Large Tropical-like Ornamental Foliage Similar to the Popular Elephant's Ear Caladium.

The Dasheen is an extraordinary vegetable. Its tubers, with a protein value 50% greater than potatoes, are prepared in all the ways white or sweet potatoes are—boiled, baked, mashed, fried, scalloped and even as chips. The young leaves prepared like Spinach provide tasty greens. The stems, blanched by being grown under a box or barrel, are as good as Asparagus.

Recipes for cooking and cultural directions are included with every shipment of seed-tubers.

Dasheens are grown commercially in the South on ground so wet or subject to brief overflows that it is worthless for other crops. Put your worthless land to work. The U.S.D.A. reports 1,400 bushels from less than 5 acres in Florida.

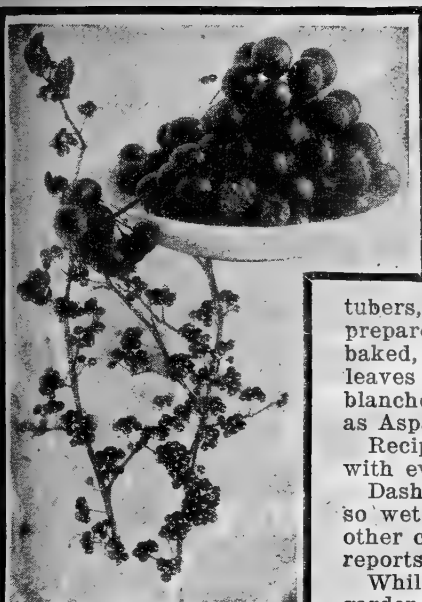
While Dasheens are grown commercially in the South, home-gardeners everywhere can raise them in any good garden soil. Even in the coldest sections, the asparagus-like stems, and the leaves used as greens make it worthwhile. Dasheen's large, ornamental leaves, similar to the popular Elephant's-ear Caladium, make it possible to plant in the flower garden or in a bed with Cannas.

Order a few Dasheen tubers for trial this year and you will want more next year.



Dasheen tubers sometimes weigh as much as 6 pounds.

**PRICES:** Choice Seed Tubers. (5 for 50c) (10 for 80c) (25 for \$1.85). Leaflet giving cultural directions and recipes for preparing and cooking the Dasheen sent FREE with tubers.



## GARDEN HUCKLEBERRY

Grows from seed the first year. A fruit that cannot be excelled for Pies and Preserves. It is very prolific, yielding an immense crop of fruit. It is an annual and must be planted each year from seed. Grows and thrives in all climates and on all kinds of soil. The fruits grow larger than the common Huckleberry or Blueberry and will remain on the plant two months after they are ripe. If cooked with apples, lemons or anything sour, they make the very finest jelly. You will be delighted and astonished with this easily grown and wonderful novelty. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo pkt. 35c) (½ oz. 55c) (oz. \$1.00) prepaid.

plants. A one-acre planting, of which only one-sixth is harvested each year, should yield at least 300 pounds of dry roots annually. At the time this catalog was being prepared, dealers were offering \$6.00 to \$13.00 a pound for dried Ginseng roots, the price depending upon the quality. At the minimum yield and price, one acre of Ginseng would earn \$1800.00 annually.

Ginseng grows best in fairly open hardwood shade. The backyard gardener can raise it in artificial shade under lath screens or brush supported by a scaffold 6 to 8 feet high. From 1000 to 1200 seeds are usually required to produce enough plants to set out on a square rod of ground. (160 square rods equal an acre.) Plant one-sixth of your area each fall for 6 years in order to assure an annual crop—and an annual income.

We send directions for growing, digging and drying Ginseng and the names and addresses of buyers of the roots with every shipment of Ginseng seed or plants.

Orders for Ginseng seeds are always filled at planting time in the fall and most orders for the plants are filled then, although we can usually supply small quantities of the plants in spring by special request.

**PRICES:** SEED (Pkt. 25c) (5 Pkts. for \$1.00) (\$6.00 per 1,000 seeds). PLANTS—2 yr. old (12 for \$1.25) (25 for \$2.00) (50 for \$3.65) (100 for \$6.95) prepaid.

## GINSENG

Ginseng is a highly profitable crop, growing in shade on any good, well drained soil and requiring very little care. It takes 6 years for roots of salable size to mature from seed; 4 years from



Ginseng

## GOLDEN SEAL

Golden Seal is a money maker, easy to raise and requires little space. Grow it in your back yard, mulching it every fall with leaves so that the soil is improved and the crops increased. At the current prices being paid for the dry roots, the average harvest of 18 pounds off a square rod (only 16½ feet square) should bring at least \$45.00. And Golden Seal makes salable roots in 4 years from seed.

The ideal spot for growing Golden Seal (and Ginseng) is in woods, where little or no cultivation is required. About ⅔ shade under frameworks supporting lath frames, brush or camouflage material to furnish the necessary shade.

We send directions for growing, harvesting and drying both Golden Seal and Ginseng with every shipment of seeds or plants of either. For those seriously considering raising Golden Seal or other medicinal plants for profit, we recommend the book described elsewhere on this page.

Golden Seal seed and plants are usually set out in the fall. But because the supply is limited, you should place your orders early in the year. (We shall have a few plants available for spring planting, but large orders for plants and all orders for seed will be filled next fall.)

About 1000 seeds should be ordered to produce enough plants (700) to set out a square rod. Order now for delivery of 1951 crop seed or 2-year-old plants at the proper time for fall planting. Send full payment with the order.

**PRICES:** SEED (Pkt. 25c) (5 Pkts. for \$1.00) (\$5.00 per 1,000 seeds). PLANTS—2 yr. old (12 for \$1.25) (25 for \$2.00) (50 for \$3.65) (100 for \$6.95). Prepaid.



Golden Seal

## GINSENG



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## PLANTS

## 367-Page Medicinal Plant Book

"Ginseng and Other Medicinal Plants" is a book of 367 pages with about 100 illustrations. It gives a list of plants having medicinal value, and valuable information about their cultivation, marketing, etc. It contains 40 illustrations of Ginseng, showing this plant in various stages of development, and 20 illustrations of Golden Seal. Some 40 other roots, plants and herbs having medicinal value are described and illustrated. \$5,000.00 to \$20,000.00 per acre is often realized by the grower of Ginseng, so the several chapters in this book that are devoted to Ginseng are alone worth many times the price of the book. Price, prepaid, cloth bound (\$2.00).

## HERBS—How to Grow and Use Them

The most complete and practical book yet published on the subject. Tells all about growing all kinds of Herbs both in the home garden and commercially. Tells about drying and curing Herbs, their usage, etc. 198 pages of valuable information. Price, (\$2.85), prepaid.

**Burgess Seed & Plant Co., Galesburg, Michigan 43**

# WHITE PROSO

The Most Profitable Catch Crop. Matures in 60 Days

Can Be Planted Later and Will Stand

More Dry Weather Than Any Other Grain

This white Proso was introduced from Siberia several years ago and after many tests has proven to be one of the most dependable and profitable farm crops. It will grow almost anywhere, North, South, East or West, in wet or dry weather, and on all kinds of soil. In 1933, when thousands of acres of grain were burned up by the extreme drought, this strain of Proso saved the day. Many farmers would have grown no winter feed at all had it not been for this wonderful grain. Though it does best when sown in June, it may be sown as late as July 15th and still mature a good crop. It produces as high as 70 bushels to the acre, of grain weighing 50 to 60 pounds per bushel.

## Northwest Turkey Growers Prefer Proso

Proso makes a splendid feed when fed whole or ground, for all kinds of live stock and poultry. Farmers claim it will fatten hogs or cattle better than corn and that chickens lay better when fed Proso, and prefer it to other grains or mash. Proso makes a splendid mash when ground alone. When fed to poultry with corn or oats the ratio should be four parts Proso to one part other grain. It may be fed without threshing as the kernels are readily removed by chickens and eaten with the hay by other stock, or it may be fed as clean grain from the thresher. Its forage in any stage of growth, or as hay, is not at any time injurious to live stock. Proso straw, which usually remains somewhat green, even though the grain is ripe, makes a good hay for winter feeding. The large turkey growers of the Northwest rely on Proso as one of their chief feed crops.

**Ideal Feed for Poultry, Hogs, Cattle and Sheep. May Be Fed without Threshing. Equal to Corn in Food Value. High in Vitamin A.**

## Seed Round and White

The seed of this Proso is round and larger than millet seed, growing in a sprangly head resembling oats. The inner color of the grain is pure white and should not be confused with the colored Prosos or so-called hog-millets. This Proso has been selected for its white color, larger kernels and greater productiveness.

## Withstands Drought

Proso is unlike any other grain because of its extreme drought resistance, together with the fact that it takes only 60 to 65 days to mature a crop of this variety, and needs only one good rain to produce a crop. It may be planted on high, dry soil that is not suitable for other grains. It is especially valuable as a summer catch crop, something that may be planted on land which has had an early crop removed or ground that has been drowned out and not in shape to work until late in the season.

Proso can be sown with a regular grain drill at the rate of 25 to 35 lbs. per acre.

**PRICES** (Sample packet, 15c) (½ lb. 30c) (lb. 55c) (5 lbs. \$2.25) (10 lbs. \$3.50) prepaid. By express or freight (kindly state which), not prepaid, (25 lbs. \$3.75) (50 lbs. \$6.00) (100 lbs. \$10.00).

If no shipping instructions are given, we will ship all orders of 25 lbs. and 50 lbs. by express, not prepaid, and orders of 100 lbs. or more by freight, not prepaid.

**Grows Almost Anywhere ENORMOUS YIELDS**

**"The Dryland Wonder Grain"**

## NOTICE

If your freight or express address is different than your mail address, be sure to supply us with both, and state how you want shipment made. Express is quite expensive over long distances but is much faster. Freight is slow, so ample time should be allowed for delivery. Sorry, no C.O.D. shipments from this catalog. Cash with order, please.

# KUDZU THE "ALL-PURPOSE" 4-VALUE CROP

**Kudzu makes good pastures.  
Kudzu makes good and easily handled hay.  
Kudzu increases soil fertility.  
Kudzu reduces soil erosion.**

This is a wonderful crop to plant on your non-productive, rough, hilly, eroded or worn-out land. Often it transforms such fields into the most productive part of the farm. Kudzu is a legume and is easy to grow. It has no serious diseases.

Kudzu is a permanent, rapid-growing, vining legume with an extensive root system and a large leaf area. Although it is adapted to cultivation over an extensive area, it has been chiefly grown in the humid, southeastern states from Virginia to eastern Oklahoma and Texas. It does fairly well in the more arid Southwest under irrigation and its use along the Pacific coast is increasing. Although the roots are hardy everywhere in the United States, winter killing of the tops limits its usefulness in the northern states. North of a line from New York City to Lincoln, Nebraska, we do not recommend planting it as a field crop except experimentally.

## Uses of Kudzu

**PASTURE.** Kudzu should be pastured lightly the second season on good stands but usually is left ungrazed until the third year. Although well established fields will support continuous grazing if pastured lightly, the usual practice is to divide the field into two or more pastures and use them alternately or in rotation. Records kept over a period of 8 years show that steers made an average seasonal gain of 243 pounds on Kudzu, the highest gain recorded being 346 pounds. No case of bloat on Kudzu has ever been reported to us.

**HAY.** Kudzu makes good hay palatable to all kinds of live-stock and can be fed with very little waste. Under adverse conditions or when cutting is delayed, it seldom sheds its leaves to anything like the extent other legumes do. Kudzu should be two years old before being cut for hay and is usually cut first in June and again just before frost. It also makes good silage. When moistened, Kudzu hay resembles fresh foliage, which makes it an excellent green ration for winter feeding to poultry, rabbits, hamsters, etc. Dairymen have reported cows fed on Kudzu produce more milk than from any other one feed.

**PLANTING KUDZU.** Except in California, where we can send only seeds, we recommend starting your Kudzu plantation with our inexpensive plants: It is a little difficult to raise plants from seed and the preparation of the seed-bed takes time. However, we offer seed for those who want to raise 1-year-old plants to set out. As Kudzu should be cultivated the first season, it is usually interplanted with corn. Setting the plants 5 feet apart each way requires 1750 plants per acre and setting them 10 feet apart requires 450 plants. It is cheaper to plant than alfalfa.



This 30 foot Kudzu root system was "washed out" by the USDA. It tells its own story.

Complete directions for planting Kudzu are sent with each shipment of Kudzu. They also cover the details of harvesting it and tell how to eradicate the crop readily if it is desired to use the improved land for some other crop.

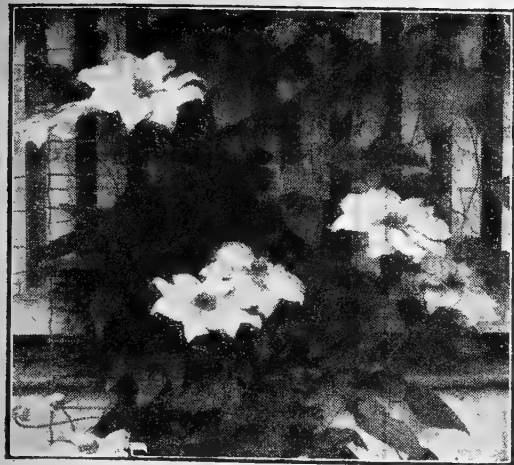
**PRICES: PLANTS** (12 for \$1.50) (25 for \$2.50) (50 for \$4.00) (100 for \$7.00) (250 for \$15.00) (500 for \$25.00). **SEED** (Nitragin supplied FREE to inoculate) (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 75c) (oz. \$1.35) (¼ lb. \$3.50) prepaid.



**BEFORE** These "before" and "after" pictures were supplied by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service, and show the same severely gullied land before and after planting Kudzu.





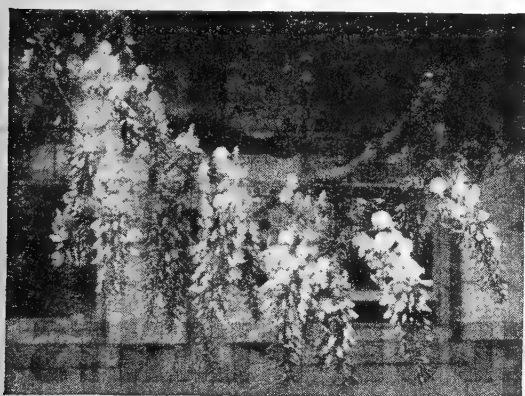


## Large Flowered CLEMATIS

One of the most highly prized of all the flowering vines because of their large colorful flowers that often measure 5 to 6 inches across. Many people have had little success with Clematis because of soil conditions which can easily be remedied. They are partial to lime and should have a handful occasionally worked into the soil around the plants. We offer 1 year old pot plants that will bloom the second season.

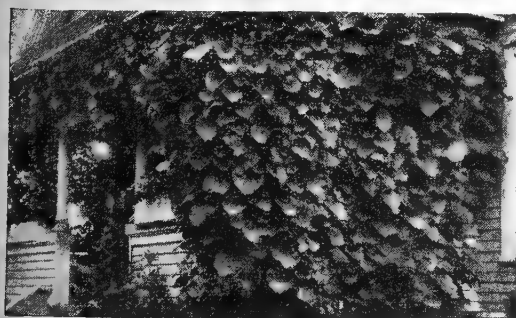
**DUCHESS of EDINBURGH.** Double White.  
**JACKMAN.** Violet-purple.  
**MME. VEILLARD.** Pink.  
**RAMONA.** Sky-blue.

Your choice of the above large-flowered Clematis at (\$1.25 each) (4 for \$3.95) prepaid.



## Chinese Purple WISTARIA

The light purple flowers are produced in clusters a foot or more in length. Seedling plants require many years in which to bloom. Our Wistarias are all grafted from the blooming wood and should flower within two or three years. Strong 2 year old plants. (50c each) (3 for \$1.20) prepaid.



## DUTCHMAN'S PIPE

The vine with brownish flowers resembling pipes. Ideal for sunny situations requiring dense shade; leaves deep green, very large, broad and closely laid. Our plants are grafted from blooming wood of selected specimens, assuring rapid growth and early blooming. 45c each (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

# Climbing VINES

## EVERGREEN EUONYMUS RADICANS

### Fine Glossy Green Foliage

Euonymus radicans is a beautiful evergreen vine that will succeed in either sun or shade. If planted near a rough stone or brick wall it will cling to the surface but if planted in the open, it piles itself up into a low shrub-like growth. The glossy green foliage is thick and leathery and even in the north will remain on the vine throughout the winter. One of the finest ground covers we know. It will also cling like an Ivy and grow to 30 feet or more. Strong 2 year old plants. (60c each) (3 for \$1.50) prepaid.



## BOSTON IVY (Ampelopsis)

Boston Ivy (Ampelopsis veitchii or Parthenocissus tricuspidata) is the most popular of all hardy vines to cover chimneys and brick or stone walls where it clings firmly to the smoothest surface. The deep, glossy green leaves turn to beautiful autumn tints after the fall frosts. Grows in either sun or shade. Heavy 2 year old plants. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

## ORANGE TRUMPET VINE



Used wherever a showy flowering vine is desired, also as a ground cover. Produces clusters of trumpet-shaped, orange-scarlet flowers. Grows in poor soil and may be used as a tall climber; or if it is trained to a tall stake and its longest shoots trimmed now and then, it makes a good small flowering tree. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

## FLOWERING VINE COLLECTION

1—Trumpet Vine      1—Wistaria  
1—Silver Lace Vine      1—Hall's Honeysuckle  
**All 4 Only \$1.95 Prepaid**

**EVERBLOOMING HONEYSUCKLE** (Lonicera heckrotti). Longest bloomer of all; loaded with blossoms from May to frost. Showy trumpet-shaped flowers are bright red outside and yellow inside. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95) prepaid.

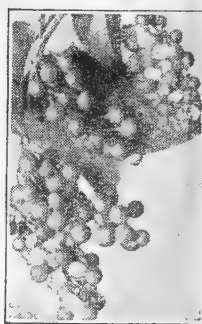


## Hall's Honeysuckle Fragrant Blooms

Covered with masses of fragrant white and yellow flowers, throughout late spring and summer. Shiny, glossy foliage. Will grow anywhere and cover anything. (60c each) (3 for \$1.50) prepaid.

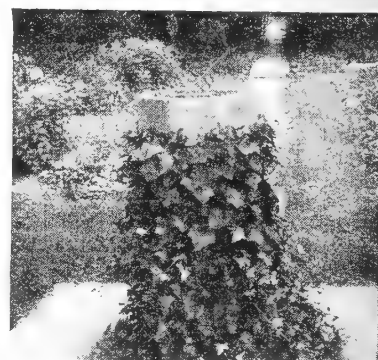
Our hardy Vines, unless otherwise noted, are all 2 year old field grown plants. All are clean and healthy and guaranteed to reach you in growing condition anywhere in the United States.

## (Celastrus) BITTERSWEET



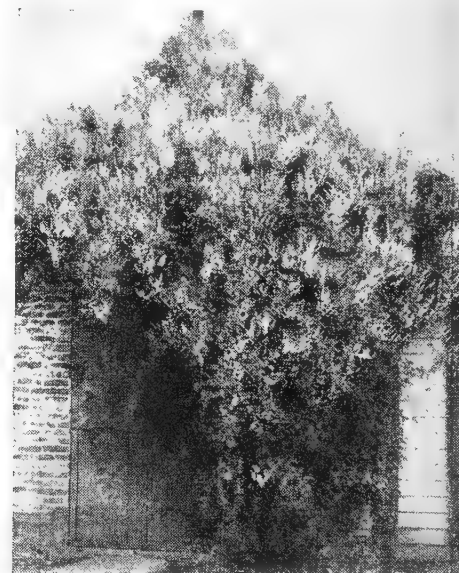
Bittersweet

The Bittersweet (Celastrus) is a very desirable climber not only for its outdoor decorative value but for indoor winter decoration as well. The tiny blossoms are followed by clusters of brilliant orange seed capsules that can be dried for winter decoration. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.



## HARDY ENGLISH IVY

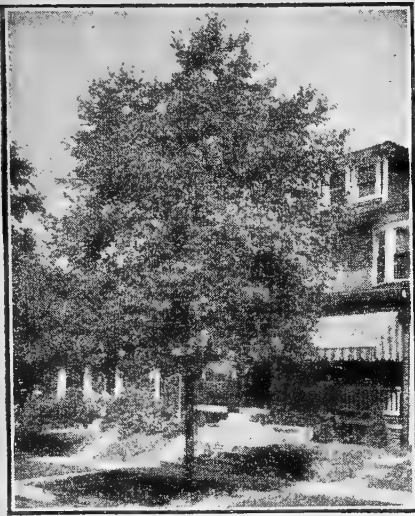
A popular trailing plant with evergreen foliage, making an excellent ground cover for dense shade. Pot grown plants, (40c each) (3 for 90c) (6 for \$1.75).



## SILVER LACE VINE

### Covered with White Flowers

Silver Lace Vine (Polygonum auberti) is one of the fastest growing hardy vines in existence, making a dense growth to 25 feet high, sometimes in a single season. During late summer and fall the entire vine is covered with foamy sprays of white flowers. If you need a vine to produce quick results, Polygonum will best suit your purpose. Two year old plants (65c each) (3 for \$1.65) prepaid.



## HARDY NORTHERN CHINESE ELM

The fastest-growing hardy tree in existence

You need not wait 15 to 20 years for shade, as the Chinese Elm grows 40 feet in height and 20 feet in spread in five years. Grows faster and has none of the undesirable root characteristics of the Poplars. It has dense, dark green foliage; the first shade tree to put out leaves in the spring and the last to shed them in the fall. Thrives on either rich or poor soil, resists drought, and makes a fine showing even if neglected. It succeeds in all parts of the United States, including both the cold and semi-arid regions, and thrives everywhere except on low, wet ground. Introduced in the United States by the United States Department of Agriculture from that cold, bleak country of Siberia. Size 3 to 4 feet. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50). (6 for \$4.50) (12 for \$8.00) prepaid.



## SUGAR MAPLE

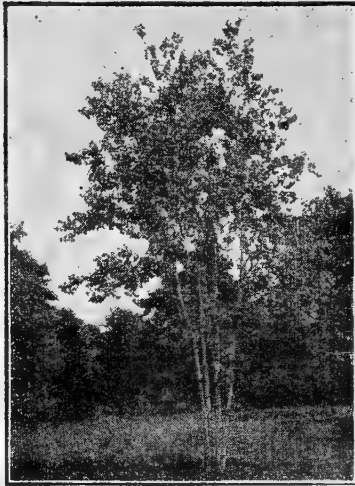
Aristocrat of Trees

The Sugar Maple is a spreading, symmetrical tree growing to 80 feet in height, affording very dense shade and glorious autumn colors. Deep green foliage turns to red, yellow and orange in Fall. One of the longest living trees. It grows in any situation. 3 to 4 ft. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50).

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# HARDY SHADE and STREET TREES

We consider the trees on this page to be the outstanding varieties and we highly recommend them to you. All will prove hardy, dependable growers, easy to plant and care for.



## European CLUMP BIRCH

In recent years there has been much demand in landscape planting for the white barked Birch in clumps of three or more separate trunks. Grown in this manner, they develop into most attractive specimens for lawn and must be seen to be really appreciated. In former years, clumps have been developed by planting several trees together, but should one die, the result is out of balance. We offer a clump of three separate trunks, growing from a single root. Grows to a height of 50 or 60 feet. Size 3 to 4 feet, (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.50) prepaid.



## Cut Leaved WEEPING BIRCH

A tall, slender tree to 30 feet in height. The branches are of drooping habit with deep green finely cut foliage. One of the most desirable lawn trees with its silvery white bark contrasting with green foliage. Trees 3 to 4 ft. high. (\$2.75 each) (3 for \$6.85) prepaid.

## American WHITE BIRCH

The American White Birch is the native Birch of the north woods growing to 40 ft. high. The white bark referred to throughout our Native Indian Lore had many uses. Thrives on most any soil, both wet and dry. Trees 3 to 4 ft. high. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.75) prepaid.



## Wisconsin WEEPING WILLOW

Hangs to the Ground

The Wisconsin Weeping Willow is one of the most beautiful of all weeping trees. Broad spreading branches that hang in cascades clear to the ground if desired or may be trimmed higher. Long, slender branches and bright green bark. Rapid grower to 35 feet high. Thrives on either wet or dry soil. Makes beautiful specimen for the large lawn. Size 3 to 4 feet. (\$1.25 each) (3 for \$3.00) prepaid.

See Page 48 for complete selection of Evergreens.



## MULTIFLORA ROSE

for Farm Fence or Garden Hedge

Multiflora Roses grow quickly into thick, impenetrable, blossoming hedges that form effective barriers to livestock and people. The mature hedges are 6 to 8 ft. high and 5 to 7 ft. wide. On the farm they are easier and cheaper to establish than wire fences and require no maintenance. Foliage is rich, restful green covered by a mass of white flowers in late spring. Does not sucker. Effectively confines cattle in 3 years and in another 2 to 3 years "will even turn a razor-back hog."

Set plants 12 in. apart for farm fences (6 in. for hogs) and 18 in. apart for garden hedges. Plant experimentally in far north or deep south and in arid regions. Not recommended in swamps or heavy shade. Especially valuable for contour-planting. (10 for \$1.70) (25 for \$3.10) (50 for \$5.25) (100 for \$8.75) (500 for \$37.00) (1000 for \$55.00) prepaid.

# HEDGE PLANTS

**CHINESE ELM**—When planted close together (9 in. to 1 ft. apart) and kept trimmed, will make an ideal hedge; or, if planted 2 to 3 ft. apart, makes an attractive tall hedge or screen to cover vacant lots and unsightly places.

**PRIVET**—This hardy northern type of Amoor River Privet will withstand 40 degrees below zero without injury. Bright green, somewhat lustrous leaves; fragrant white flowers followed by blue-black berries. Set 9 to 12 inches apart.

**RED BARBERRY**—Exactly like the Green except for the color of the foliage, which is a rich, bronzy red. The color is best when planted in full sun.

**GREEN BARBERRY**—(Thunbergii) makes an ideal hedge growing about 3 ft. high. It is also indispensable as a foundation plant mixed with other Shrubs or Evergreens. Grows in partial shade. For hedging, set plants 12 to 18 in. apart.

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTI**—Most popular and useful of all hardy shrubs. Grows to about 7 ft. with graceful arching branches completely covered, in early spring, with thousands of pure white flower clusters. May be used in foundation plantings, in the shrubbery border, as single lawn specimens and in hedges.

## Prepaid Prices for Hedge Plants

	3	10	25	50	100
BARBERRY, Green...	\$0.80	\$2.25	\$5.25	\$9.00	\$16.00
BARBERRY, Red...	.95	3.00	7.25	14.00	26.00
CHINESE ELM.....	.45	.90	2.00	3.50	5.00
MULTIFLORA ROSE—(see prices at left)					
PRIVET, Amoor River.	.75	2.00	4.50	8.00	14.00
SPIREA VAN HOUTTI	.75	2.00	4.50	8.00	14.00





### Scarlet Hawthorn

The most popular variety of English Hawthorn. Flowers deep crimson-scarlet and very double; produced in great profusion late in spring, followed by showy red fruits and autumnal colorings of foliage. 15 feet. Thrives on poorest soil. Plant in groups or as a single specimen tree. Size 3 to 4 feet. (\$3.00 each) (3 for \$7.50) prepaid.



### ALMEY CRAB

"Dollar-Size" Blooms

Glistening, Fiery-Crimson blooms the size of a dollar make Almey crab the most beautiful of all flowering crabs. It was developed by the Dominion Experimental Station at Morden, Canada, and this is what they say about it: "has very large blossoms of glistening red. White markings at the base of each petal give the effect of a five sided star. When in bloom this strong growing healthy tree from a distance looks like a mass of flame." It also blooms early. (\$2.75 each) (3 for \$6.85) prepaid.



### RED LEAF PEACH

Fruit and Beauty, Too

This unusual ornamental tree has brilliant red foliage in the early spring, dulling to a deep maroon towards fall—and best of all it gives delicious fruit, too. Its deep rose blossoms against the red foliage are a pleasing contrast. Fruit is inch and a half size—just right for pickling. Like the foliage it is red, with white flesh deliciously sweet. This tree is a fine specimen and can also be used for background color in the shrub border. (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.35) prepaid.



### RED BUD (Judas Tree)

A very ornamental tree of medium size, with perfect heart-shaped leaves. Blooms early in spring, before the leaves appear, covering the branches with small rosy-pink, pea-shaped flowers. Size 2 to 3 feet. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) prepaid.



### Flowering DOGWOOD WHITE FLOWERING

Flowers white, 3 to 3½ inches in diameter, produced in spring before leaves appear; foliage grayish green, glossy and handsome; in the

autumn turning to deep red, presenting a gorgeous spectacle. Size 2 to 3 feet. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

### PINK FLOWERING DOGWOOD

A Breath-taking Sight Every Spring

Similar to above but with handsome pink flowers. An attractive lawn specimen or group subject. Size 2 to 3 feet. (\$4.50 each) (3 for \$12.75) prepaid.



### TULIP TREE

A beautiful rapid-growing tree to 60 feet high. Flowers appear in June and resemble large greenish yellow tulips. Beautiful, glossy leaves which, in fall, turn to brightest yellow. Makes a wonderful specimen tree for any lawn. Size 2 to 3 feet. (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.75) prepaid.

### DWARF FLOWERING TREES

Dwarf trees serve the same purpose as many of our larger shrubs in the tall shrub border, in clumps or as single lawn specimens. They do not grow tall enough to afford much shade, but are highly ornamental both in foliage and flower. All are sturdy, healthy trees, 2 or more years old and guaranteed to reach you in good growing condition anywhere in the United States. We pay the postage on all parcel post shipments.

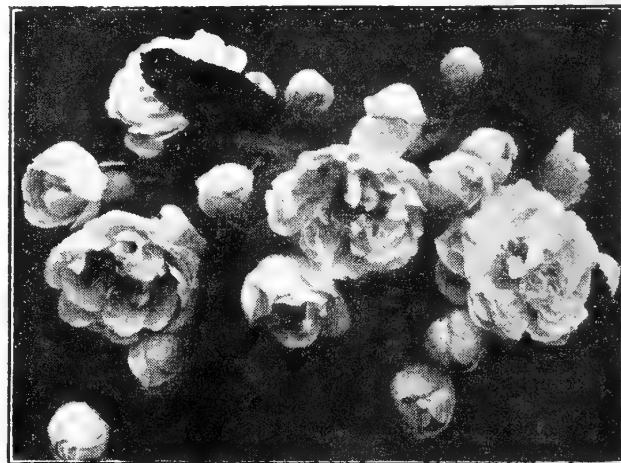


### MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA

Most showy and satisfactory of the rare Oriental types. Large, Tulip-like pink-red flowers. At its best in the Spring but produces some flowers in Fall. Grows to 12 ft. well branched from the ground. Size 2 to 3 ft. (\$3.50 each) (3 for \$9.00) prepaid.

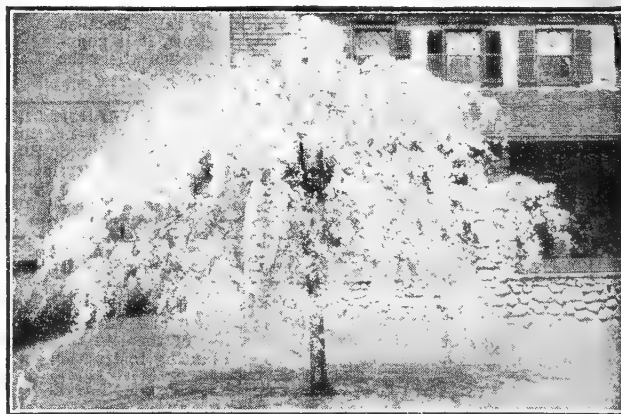
### SAUCER MAGNOLIA

Everybody wants one or more of these magnificent trees. Nothing more striking. Its huge white, fragrant flowers produce a startling sight in the spring before the glossy leaves appear. Size 2 to 3 ft. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.



### Bechtel's Flowering Crab

A fine, small flowering tree to 15 feet high which, when in bloom, presents the appearance of being covered with delicate pink roses, scenting the atmosphere for a long distance with the fragrance of the Tea Roses. The cut blossoms are often mistaken for roses. The ideal lawn tree for the small yard. Size 2 to 3 feet. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.00) prepaid. Flowering Crabs cannot be sent to Colorado.



### JAPANESE WEEPING CHERRY

The finest of all weeping, flowering trees. 12 feet. The showers of double pink flowers hang in long sprays almost to the ground. Trees are grafted on 5 to 6 foot stems and are too large for parcel post shipment. (\$7.50 each) (3 for \$20.00). Shipped by Express only, not prepaid. Cannot be shipped to Arizona or Colorado.

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# BURGESS' NORTHERN GROWN EVERGREENS

For Specimens, Hedges, Foundation and Background Plantings,  
Screens, Windbreaks and Cemetery Beautification

Evergreens are shipped from our Wisconsin growing station whenever you want them, from late September until late May.

## ARBORVITAE



**AMERICAN ARBORVITAE** (White Cedar) To 30 ft. Hardy, reliable evergreen for clipped or informal hedges, windbreaks, screen plantings or as specimens alone or in groups. They make attractive backgrounds for your favorite flowering shrubs, perennials, annuals and bulbs. Broadly pyramidal in shape with thick foliage which is bright green in spring, darker green in summer and bronzy in winter. Grows in full sun or slight shade and prefers a rather moist soil.



**GLOBE ARBORVITAE** 3 to 4 ft. This is the Woodward variety, best of the globe-shaped arborvitae because it requires little or no trimming to keep it in shape. Its dark green foliage holds its color all winter, brightening as the new growth appears in the spring. Valuable in foundation plantings, to mark garden corners and at entrances where a degree of formality is desirable.



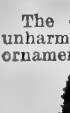
**PYRAMIDAL ARBORVITAE** To 20 ft. One of the best accent plants to use next to the house and in boundary or background plantings. Slimmer and more compact than American Arborvitae, it is brighter green both summer and winter and it grows rapidly. Easily kept at a desired height by trimming. A popular variety for hedges for which they should be set about 18 inches apart.

## FIRS



**DOUGLAS FIR** To 60 ft. in gardens, taller in woodland. A fast-growing tree especially suited to commercial production for the Christmas tree market as well as being a valuable timber tree. A very graceful specimen in the garden. Grows well over a large part of the country except in the extreme South. Very symmetrical with long needles, flexible branches and foliage varying, according to season, from light blue to green. The blueness intensifies as the trees increase in age.

## JUNIPERS



The dry-land evergreens. In seasons of drouth and intense heat, Junipers come through unharmed while other evergreens are severely damaged or killed outright. Junipers are popular for ornamental planting and grow readily. We offer here a useful choice of types.



**IRISH JUNIPER** 8 ft. An exclamation point (!) of blue-green foliage admired as an accent in foundation plantings and in formal gardens. Does best in regions of mild winters with light snows.



**PFITZER JUNIPER** 4 ft., often spreading to 8 ft. wide. The most useful of all evergreens. Grows in sun or semi-shade, on windy corners where other evergreens would be winter-killed and even tolerates the smoke of cities. Its steel-gray foliage has a soft, feathery appearance despite its mass.



**PLUMY JUNIPER** To 1 ft. A low, spreading evergreen for carpeting sandy or rocky slopes, to use in rock gardens and for planting in the foreground of taller evergreens and shrubs. Its soft feathery foliage is grayish green in summer turning in fall to a gay purple hue which enlivens the winter landscape. It tolerates some shade and the smoke of cities.



**REDCEDAR** (*Juniperus virginiana*) 25 ft. A pointed, pyramidal tree to be used for accents in shrub borders, foundation plantings and for specimens. The foliage varies from light to dark green with a blue-gray tinge. Clusters of blue berries adorn it in the fall. Because it thrives in poor soil and is easy to grow, it is popular everywhere and particularly useful in cemeteries where the soil is sandy.



Colorado Blue Spruce

Figures after the name of each variety indicate its height when fully grown.

### EVERGREEN SEEDLING COLLECTION

2-Yr., 3 to 6" size.  
5 Colorado Blue Spruce  
10 Arborvitae, American  
10 Juniper, Redcedar  
All 25 Evergreens only \$1.75

### TRANSPLANTED EVERGREEN COLLECTION

4-Yr. Old Transplants, 6 to 10" Size.  
2 Colorado Blue Spruce 2 Redcedar  
2 Arborvitae, American 2 Black Hills Spruce  
2 Norway Spruce  
All 10 Transplants only \$2.50

## BARGAINS In Evergreen Seedlings

For a small investment you can, in a few years, develop a paying crop of Christmas Trees. You can also greatly increase the appearance and value of your property by planting hedges and windbreaks of Evergreens. Plant a few of them in the garden and grow them a few years before setting in a foundation planting. Planting instructions with each order.

### IMPORTANT—READ BEFORE ORDERING

Because of our low prices on Evergreen Seedlings we cannot accept orders for quantities other than listed. If you want 25 of one variety and 25 of another, order each variety at the 25 rate. No less than 10 of a variety sold. These Seedling Evergreens can be shipped from late Sept. until late May, and are delivered prepaid at the following prices:

Variety	Size	10	25	100	500
Arborvitae, American	3-6"	\$1.50	\$2.65	\$7.75	\$32.00
Fir, Douglas	3-6"	1.50	2.65	7.75	32.00
Redcedar	3-6"	1.90	3.55	9.25	38.00
Pine, Mugho	3-6"	1.90	3.55	9.25	38.00
Pine, Ponderosa	3-6"	1.50	2.65	7.75	32.00
Pine, Scotch	3-6"	1.90	3.55	9.25	38.00
Spruce, Black Hills	3-6"	1.50	2.65	7.75	32.00
Spruce, Colorado Blue	3-6"	1.90	3.55	9.25	38.00
Spruce, Norway	3-6"	1.50	2.65	7.75	32.00

## TRANSPLANTED EVERGREENS—3 to 6 Years Old

Variety	Size	1	3	10	25
Arborvitae, American	10-12"	\$ .80	\$1.80	\$5.25	\$11.00
Arborvitae, Globe	10-12"	1.20	3.05	9.00	19.00
Arborvitae, Pyramidal	10-12"	1.30	3.20	9.25	20.00
Juniper, Irish	10-12"	1.20	3.05	9.00	19.00
Juniper, Pfitzer	10-12"	1.40	3.35	10.25	22.00
Juniper, Plumy	10-12"	1.30	3.20	9.25	20.00
Juniper, Redcedar	10-12"	.90	2.00	5.75	12.00
Pine, Mugho	10-12"	1.10	2.35	6.75	14.00
Pine, Ponderosa	10-12"	1.10	2.35	6.75	14.00
Pine, Scotch	10-12"	.90	2.00	5.75	12.00
Spruce, Black Hills	10-12"	1.10	2.35	6.75	14.00
Spruce, Colorado Blue	10-12"	1.30	3.20	9.25	20.00
Spruce, Norway	10-12"	.80	1.80	5.25	11.00
Yew, Spreading	10-12"	1.50	3.65	11.25	23.00
Yew, Upright	10-12"	1.50	3.65	11.25	23.00

Order only at rate given. Varieties cannot be combined to get lower rate.

## PINES



**MUGHO PINE** (Dwarf) 3-5 ft. Effective in the foreground of foundation plantings and beside steps. Compact and symmetrical, retaining its green color through the winter. Enlivened in spring by myriads of little white "candles." Tolerates light shade if well fertilized. Because it grows well in sandy soil, it is in great demand for cemetery plantings.



**PONDEROSA PINE** 50-60 ft. Used in background and screen plantings; makes a strong, massive specimen on the lawn. Its rich green needles are long and heavy. Rapid in growth. Especially effective when interplanted with spruces and firs.

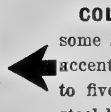


**SCOTCH PINE** 50 ft. A big, broad-shouldered evergreen resisting wind, drouth and cold and thriving on poor soils. Of rapid growth while young, it is one of the best evergreens for very exposed locations. Its irregular branching produces a picturesque effect.



## SPRUCES

**BLACK HILLS SPRUCE** 25-50 ft. Compact and symmetrical with bright green foliage. A favorite for specimens and in screen and background plantings.



**COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE** 25-30 ft. (See photo.) A handsome specimen standing alone, it is even better displayed as an accent in boundary plantings or screens and in groups of three to five trees. Hardy, symmetrical and easily grown. Dense, steel-blue foliage. Our transplants are color-selected.



**NORWAY SPRUCE** 80-100 ft. A hardy, rugged, dependable, fast-growing evergreen popular for windbreaks, hedges and reforestation. Frequently planted for living Christmas trees. Grows well almost everywhere except in the far South.

## YEWS

The Yews are characterized by rich, dark green foliage throughout the year except for a period each spring when the bright green, new growth affords a pleasing change. On mature plants scarlet berries appear in summer. Yews are hardy, slow-growing and thrive in more shade than other evergreens. They may be allowed to grow naturally or can be kept closely pruned, making them useful for foundation plantings and for hedges of low to medium height. Yews are the best permanent hedge material for year 'round beauty.



**SPREADING YEW** 4-6 ft. A spreading form which makes a massive shrub as broad as it is high or may be kept trimmed to a smaller size. Often called "the Boxwood of the North."



**UPRIGHT YEW** To 12 ft. A conical form, broad at the base and tapering evenly to the top. This is the best variety for hedges, in which the plants are set 18 to 24 inches apart. By all means the outstanding conifer for ornamental planting.

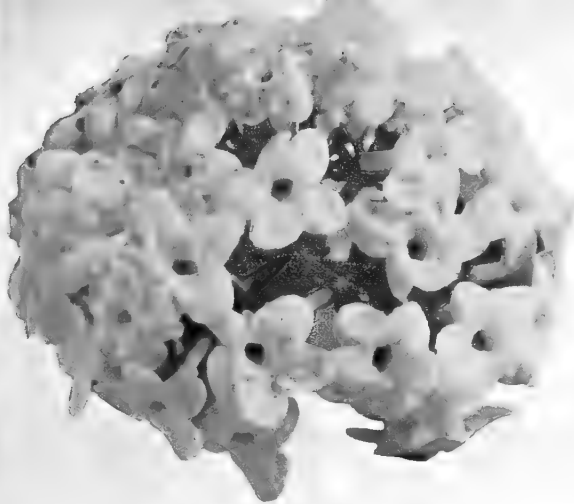




## DOUBLE MOCK ORANGE

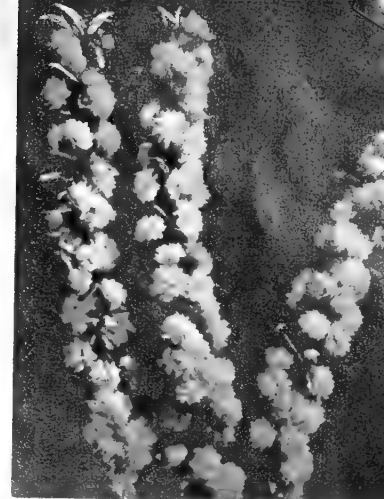
### *The Fragrant Beauty*

A beautiful variety, growing 5 to 6 ft. tall with fragrant double flowers to 2" across, produced in loose clusters all over the plant. Has a long blooming season and makes an excellent cut flower. One of the most outstanding white shrubs in existence. (65c each) (3 for \$1.65) prepaid.



## ◀ Fragrant VIBURNUM

The fragrant *Viburnum Carlesii* (Pink Snowball) grows 4 ft. high and is probably the most spectacular of all spring flowering shrubs. Large, ball-shaped flower heads cover the plant. White, with a tinge of pink, with the fragrance of the Trailing Arbutus. You will never regret owning this one regardless of price. (\$4.00 each) (3 for \$10.00) prepaid.



## Flowering Almond

### *Blooms from Ground to Tips*

An old time favorite throughout the country. Seldom grows over 4 to 5 ft. In early spring it is completely covered from the ground to the tips of the long graceful branches with double pink blossoms about a half inch across. A very beautiful and satisfactory shrub. Cannot be shipped to Ariz., Calif., Colo., Ida., or Utah. (70c each) (3 for \$1.80) prepaid.

## FIELD-GROWN FLOWERING SHRUBS

### "The Best of the Hardy Varieties"

These are the Aristocrats of the shrub family. You can be proud to plant any one of them in your shrub border, as a specimen in the lawn or in a foundation planting. They are all disease-free and "State Inspected" for your protection and assurance of the highest quality plant material. All shipped prepaid.



## Snowhill Hydrangea

The earliest blooming hydrangea; grows 4 to 5 feet high. Large balls of snowy-white flowers from June to August. Grows in full sun or partial shade. (60c each) (3 for \$1.50).

### Bluebird Hydrangea

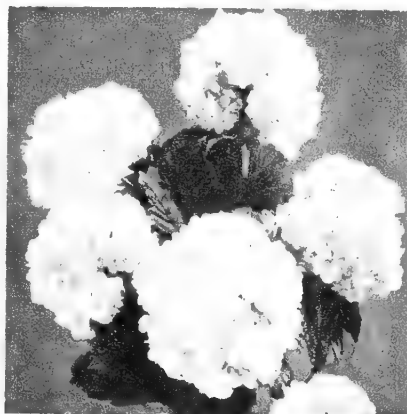
The intense blue of this lovely shrub is a wonderful sight. Perfect accent plant. Needs a little protection in coldest climates. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95).



## BEAUTY BUSH

### *More Beautiful Than Its Name*

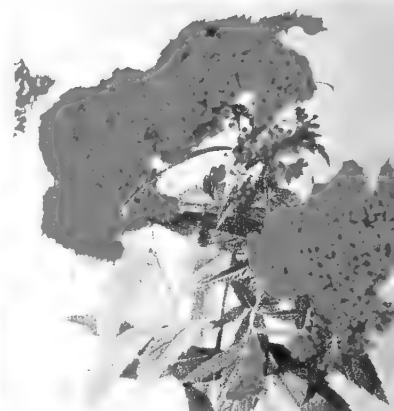
*Kolkwitzia*. Probably the finest flowering shrub of them all. Grows 9' tall, arching to the ground. Fragrant, pink, tubular-shaped flowers are produced in abundance along the entire length of the branches. Will do well in semi-shade or full sun. Grows rapidly and reaches stately proportions. (55c each) (3 for \$1.35).



## WHITE SNOWBALL

### *Blooms for Decoration Day*

This well-known and loved shrub grows 12' with spectacularly white, globular clusters of flowers in May. Most attractive for Decoration Day, as they are usually in full bloom at that time. Can be planted in the shrub border but shows to best advantage as a lawn specimen. Very attractive foliage. (65c each) (3 for \$1.65).



## RED SPIREA

### ANTHONY WATERER

#### *Best of the Low Growers*

The red Spirea Anthony Waterer forms a compact, rounded bush growing 2½ to 3' tall, topped with large, flat heads of bright red flowers. Blooms from early summer until late fall. (60c each) (3 for \$1.50).



## —HARDY EVERGREENS—

### ◀ RHODODENDRON

#### *The Garden Aristocrat with the Evergreen Foliage and Tremendous Bloom*

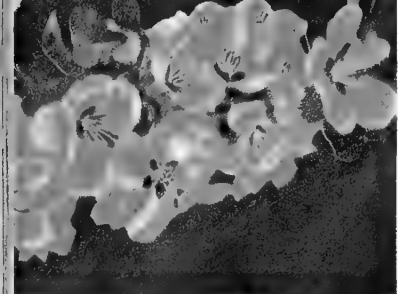
**ROSEBAY RHODODENDRON** (*R. maximum*). This garden aristocrat with the lustrous, dark green leaves throughout the year and 4 inch clusters of delightful white flowers in late June or July, should be in every garden. Plant in acid soil in a northern or western exposure where it gets plenty of light but little direct sun. Maintain a permanent mulch of pine needles, oak leaves or peat moss on the ground around it. Grows slowly to a height of 10 to 15 feet and nearly equal spread. (90c each) (3 for \$2.25) prepaid.

### MOUNTAIN LAUREL ▶

#### *Lovely Broad-Leaved Evergreen Shrub*

*Kalmia latifolia*. One of the most beautiful of the broad-leaved evergreen shrubs, hardy to -15 degrees, with a little protection against wind and sun. Its thick, waxy leaves make a striking effect the year round. Pink and white buds expand into delicate white and flesh colored flowers. They will attain the size of a small tree, or may be trimmed to fit your landscape. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95) prepaid.





### **FIREBUSH, CYDONIA**

Flowering Quince. Dazzling, scarlet flowers in early spring, followed by small Quinces in the fall. Grows to 7 ft. Cannot ship to Colo. or Utah.



### **DEUTZIA, Pride of Rochester**

Double white ball-shaped flowers, tinged with pink. Profuse bloomer in June. Grows to 6 ft.



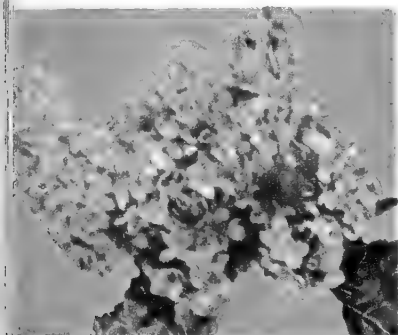
### **ALTHEA Rose of Sharon**

Large double flowers in late summer and fall. Grows to 8 ft. Your choice of Pink, Red, Purple or White.



### **SNOWBERRY**

Small pink or white flowers followed by clusters of berries, remaining on the branches until mid-winter. Thrives in sun or shade. Grows to 4 ft. Pink or White.



### **PERSIAN LILAC**

Old-fashioned lilac of grandmother's day. Very free-bloomer and so hardy, often blooming the first year after planting. Grows to 9 ft. Does not sucker.

## **HARDY, FIELD-GROWN FLOWERING SHRUBS**

These lovely plants cover a range of bloom from the very first days of Spring until killing frosts. All Disease-Free "State Inspected" stock.

### **Your Choice**

We cannot sell less than  
3 shrubs at these low  
prices.

**3** for **\$1.00**  
Prepaid



### **ROSE ACACIA**

Beautiful spring-flowering shrub with clusters of bright rose-purple flowers like Sweet Peas. (See photo.) Thrives in the poorest of soils. Grows to 3 ft.



### **WEIGELA ROSEA**

Showy, summer-flowering shrub with bell-shaped pink flowers all over the plant. Grows in semi-shade. Grows to 5 ft.



### **SPICE BUSH, CALYCANTHUS**

#### **Delicious, Spicy Fragrance**

Double, mahogany-red flowers with a spicy fragrance, produced in June. Large, deep green, glossy leaves. Grows to 6 ft.

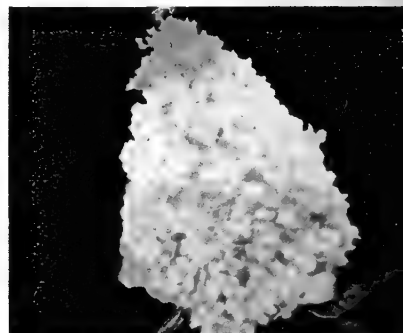


### **PINK SPIREA, BILLARDI**

Spikes of fuzzy pink flowers on upright branches, suitable for cutting. 4 ft.

### **SWEET MOCK ORANGE**

Thousands of fragrant white flowers in early summer. 10 ft.



### **HYDRANGEA P.G.**

Huge panicles of blooms a foot or more in length literally cover plant with white blooms in August changing to deep rose in Fall. Grows to 8 ft.

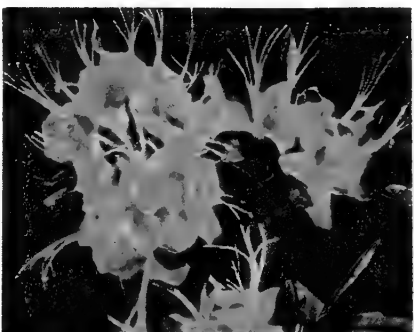


### **FRENCH PUSSY WILLOW**

Not to be confused with the common wild varieties. Large, silvery catkins nearly two inches long. Excellent for background or screen plantings. May be cut for winter bloom. (See photo.) Grows to 15 ft.

### **FEATHER BUSH, TAMARIX**

Hundreds of tiny, coral-pink flowers in long, feathery sprays. Fine, fern-like, blue-green foliage. A beautiful shrub. Grows 5 ft. high.

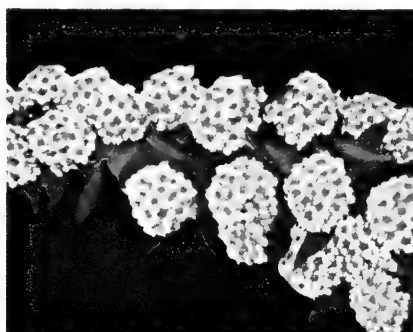


### **FLAME AZALEA**

The flame-colored flowers on this beautiful shrub are 2" across and produced in clusters of 5 to 7 blooms—a tremendous sight in May and June. The plant will grow to 10 ft. Like all azaleas it should be planted on acid soil to do its best. Accomplish this by adding a little Peat Moss to your soil. Mulching with oak leaves will also help.

### **PINK AZALEA**

The soft pink flowers are 1½ inches across and produced in clusters of 6 to 12 in April and May. Grows to 7 ft.

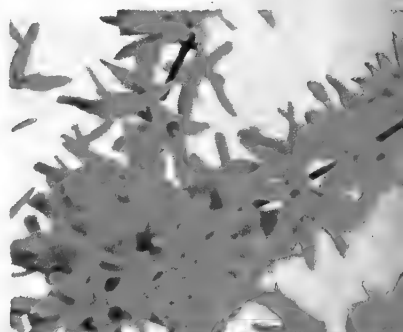


### **BRIDAL WREATH SPIREA**

Most popular and useful of all shrubs. Graceful, arching branches covered, in early spring, with thousands of pure white flower clusters. Grows to 6 ft.

### **TARTARIAN BUSH HONEYSUCKLE**

Excellent for screens, tall hedges and background plantings. Covered with sweet-scented pink flowers in early spring followed by thousands of bright red berries attractive to birds. Grows in shade. Grows to 15 ft.



### **GOLDEN BELL FORSYTHIA**

Hundreds of bright yellow, bell-shaped flowers in early spring before the leaves appear. (See photo.) Grows to 8 ft.

### **WEeping FORSYTHIA**

This wonderful shrub differs from the upright Golden Bell type only in its size and habit of growth. Its tall, willowy branches reach a height of 10 ft., then cascade down like a Weeping Willow. It may also be trained espalier-like on fences or trellises, or allowed to grow up a wall.



# BURGESS Select HOUSE PLANTS

WE GUARANTEE ALL POT PLANTS TO REACH YOU IN GOOD GROWING CONDITION and will replace free of charge any that do not, provided we are notified within ten days from date plants reach you.

Our greenhouse department offers you a list of house plants most of which we can supply throughout the year. Shipping dates given for individual

varieties may vary a few weeks, depending on growing conditions, and if no dates are given we can usually ship throughout the year. We exercise the greatest care in packing to insure against frost and breakage in transit. House plant orders are sometimes held up during sub-zero winter weather, and extreme heat of mid-summer, but never for more than a week or two.



Ostrich Plume Fern



English Ivy



Easter Lily Cactus

Usually begins to flower at Easter time and will continue to do so intermittently for several months. The pink and white flowers are extremely large, often 6 to 10 inches in length and diameter of the widely spread frilled petals, and some are quite fragrant. They are one of the easiest of all cacti to grow, and stand neglect and need no special care. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

## CHOICE HOUSE FERNS

**BOSTON.** A wonderful Fern with long, drooping fronds (leaves) which often attain a length of 6 to 8 feet. Plants (45c each) (2 for 75c) prepaid.

**OSTRICH PLUME.** One of the easiest and healthiest ferns to grow. Each frond is delicately cut and curved, somewhat resembling the grace of an ostrich plume. Fronds often measure a foot in width. (45c each) (2 for 75c) prepaid.

**SILVER FERN.** Light green fronds with a band of silver. A most unusual fern and of very easy culture. Plants (60c each) (2 for \$1.00) prepaid.

**ARTILLERY FERN.** This lovely fern has a drooping, graceful habit. The curving fronds of small shining leaves are much prized. When the flowers open, the pollen is usually discharged forcibly and visibly, hence the name Artillery Fern. (39c each) (2 for 65c).

### ASPARAGUS FERNS

**PLUMOSUS (Lace Fern).** Very finely divided feathery foliage. Seed (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c). Plants (49c each) (2 for 80c) prepaid.

**SPRENGERI (Feather Fern).** Long, drooping branches; fine for hanging baskets and window boxes. Seed (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c). Plants (45c each) (2 for 75c) prepaid.

**COLLECTION:** 1 each of 6 Ferns above only \$2.25 prepaid.

### PHILODENDRON

One of the most satisfactory of all green vining plants for indoors. Its deep green, heavy leaves are attractive anywhere. Grows in sun or complete shade, in water, soil or sand. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.85) prepaid.



## THE BEST OF ALL IVIES

**ENGLISH IVY.** A popular trailing house plant for the shady corner. Hardy outdoors and makes an excellent evergreen ground cover for dense shade. (40c each) (2 for 70c) prepaid.

**GRAPE IVY.** Resembles the Ivies in habit but belongs to the Grape family. It thrives without sun and requires very little care. Ideal for the wall bracket and makes an excellent plant to trail over the porch or window box. (60c each) (2 for \$1.10) prepaid.

**WATER IVY.** A rapid growing vine especially suited to indoor baskets and wall vases. Small, glossy green leaves and inconspicuous yellow flowers. Soil or water. (40c each) (2 for 70c) prepaid.

**FAN LEAVED IVY.** The small leaves are shaped and veined like the old palm fan. Dark green in color and branching freely, this little plant will give a different, exotic touch to your house plants. Does well outdoors in sheltered location. (45c each) (2 for 75c) prepaid.

**PIN OAK IVY.** Small, glossy-green leaves like those on Pin Oak. Easily grown in soil or water. (50c each) (2 for 85c) prepaid.

**COLLECTION:** 1 each of all 5 above only \$1.95 prepaid.

## House Plant Seed

Much enjoyment can be had growing House Plants from seed. We are offering seed of such varieties as we can supply and recommend. Our house plant seeds are fresh and of the very best strains, and we sell them at the lowest prices for which strictly high grade seeds can be produced.

## VELVET PLANT

Truly a fascinating sight. The dark green leaves and the stems are literally covered with tiny hairs of a rich purple coloring which is even more intense along the veins. This makes the plant appear as if it were made of a richly colored velvet cloth. It grows upright and succeeds well in ordinary living room temperature. Plants (50c each) (2 for 85c).

## COLEUS

With the Bright Leaves

Every indoor garden must have a few coleus plants to brighten up the greens. Our stock is variegated with an amazing assembly of burnt reds and oranges shading into the greens. (40c each) (3 for \$1.00) (12 for \$3.00) prepaid. SEED (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).



## GIANT CINERARIA

Bright Colors  
Delicate Fragrance

Our Giant Exhibition Strain of Cineraria is unsurpassed in size of flower, bright colors, and delicate fragrance. Plants grow into round bushes, completely covered by the massive flowerheads. For Christmas blooming, seed should be sown in April; for blooming during early spring, June or July sowing should be made. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25).

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## CHINESE HIBISCUS

The Chinese Hibiscus is one of the showiest tropical plants in existence. It makes an excellent house plant in the North and has proven to be one of the most popular shrubs in the South and West. Hardy above 25°.

**AURANTICA.** Large, double. Orange-yellow. (65c each) (2 for \$1.10).

**GOLDEN DAWN.** Single yellow. (85c each) (2 for \$1.50).

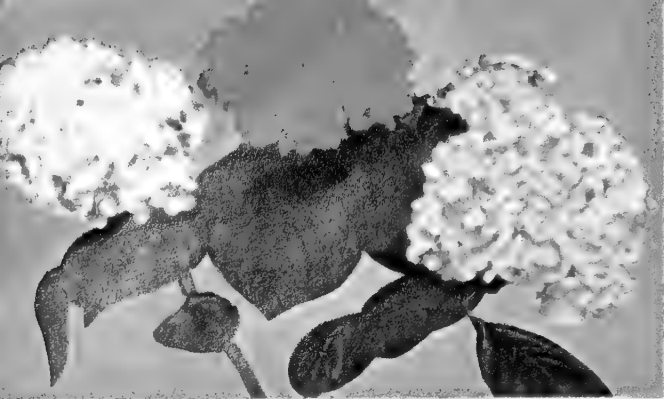
**LUNA.** Large single red (80c each) (2 for \$1.40).

**MINIMUS.** Medium sized double red. (65c each) 2 for \$1.10.

**PEACHBLOW.** Huge, semi-double of flesh-pink. (70c each) (2 for \$1.20).

**COLLECTION:** 1 each of all 5 above only \$2.95 prepaid.





## FRENCH HYDRANGEAS

French Hydrangeas are especially adapted for pot or tub plants for indoors, porch, lawn or garden decoration. In some soils the pink flowered varieties turn blue, and this color can be secured artificially by mixing one-half pound of broken alum with each one-half bushel of soil. The following varieties produce very large flowers, are easily grown

**HAMBURG.** Carmine.

**MERVIELLE.** Beautiful deep pink.

**NICO BLUE.** Deep blue. **REGULA.** Best pure white.

**PRICES:** (70c each) (2 for \$1.25) prepaid.

**COLLECTION:** 1 each all 4 above only \$2.40 prepaid.

## CACTUS FOR DISH GARDENS

The Cactus family makes most interesting house plants. Extremely odd and curious. Many have gorgeous and beautiful sweet scented blossoms, and bloom profusely. These oddest of all plants grow in many shapes and sizes, are easily grown, thrive and bloom with very little care, and endure the heat and dryness of the ordinary living room. Plant them in individual small bowls or in dish gardens. This fine collection of Cacti and Succulents, our selection of varieties, 6 plants, each a different variety. (\$1.00 for the 6) prepaid.



Brazilian Plume Plant

## BRAZILIAN PLUME PLANT

**Delightful Pink  
Blossoms Come Again  
and Again**

A native of Brazil. It is of the easiest possible culture, and seems to do well everywhere, requiring but little attention. It is a strong, rapid grower, throwing many shoots, each of which is tipped with beautiful pink, plume-like flowers that come again and again. Plants (60c each) (3 for \$1.50) prepaid.

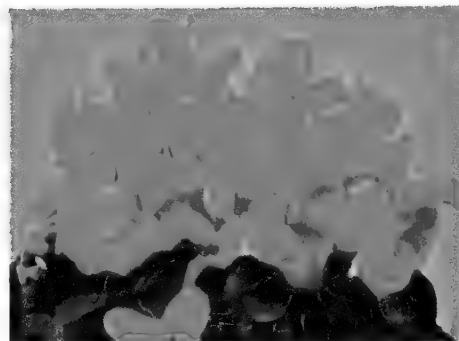


## ORCHID FLOWERING CACTUS

**10-Inch Blooms on Small Plants**

The Orchid Cactus (Hybrid Epiphyllum) is fast becoming one of our most prized indoor plants. Unlike the desert Cactus, it is entirely free from thorns, being similar in habit to the popular Christmas Cactus. The flower differs from Christmas Cactus, however, in size and form, as well as brilliance in the many colors available. It is not uncommon for a well grown plant to produce fifteen or twenty gigantic blooms, ten and even twelve inches across, in a single season.

It is not at all difficult to grow this spectacular flower under ordinary home surroundings. The blooming season varies from April through June with the different varieties. Your choice of colors—Red, White, Pink and Orange—(\$1.00 each) (4 for \$3.25) prepaid.



## GIANT CYCLAMENS

**Unsurpassed for Color**

Cyclamens are, without question, one of the best and most beautiful house plants. Our Cyclamen seed is grown for us by a specialist, seeds being selected only from plants of superior bloom and foliage. The flowers are unsurpassed for size, color and substance. The seed we offer is a mixture of bright red, dark red, light pink, deep pink, salmon, white, white with carmine eye, etc. In fact, the colors range from white to darkest crimson with all intermediate shades.

**Prize Mixture of Giants.** Extra large and choice. Pkt. (10 seeds), 30c (Jumbo Pkt. 30 Seeds 75c)

**Cyclamen Plants.** Choice of Red, Pink or White. (55c each) (3 for \$1.40) prepaid.

**A blooming Cactus is  
still a novelty in most  
indoor gardens.**

## ← CHRISTMAS CACTUS

**"It Blooms Year  
After Year**

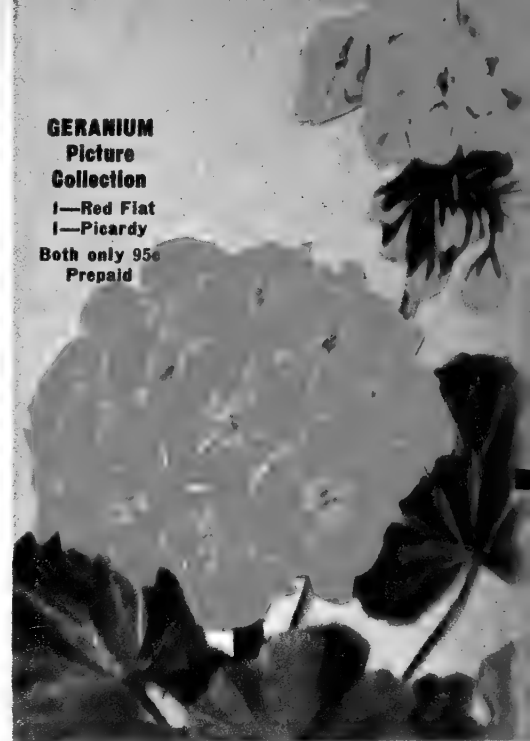
The most popular of all the flowering Cactus. Its showy blossoms are a welcome sight any time of year. Will do well under the most adverse conditions, and will bloom profusely year after year. We send big plants that will go on increasing in size and loveliness for you. Does well in any indoor location, but must have sunny window to bloom. (45c each) (2 for

**52 75c** prepaid.

## GERANIUM Picture Collection

**1—Red Fiat  
1—Picardy**

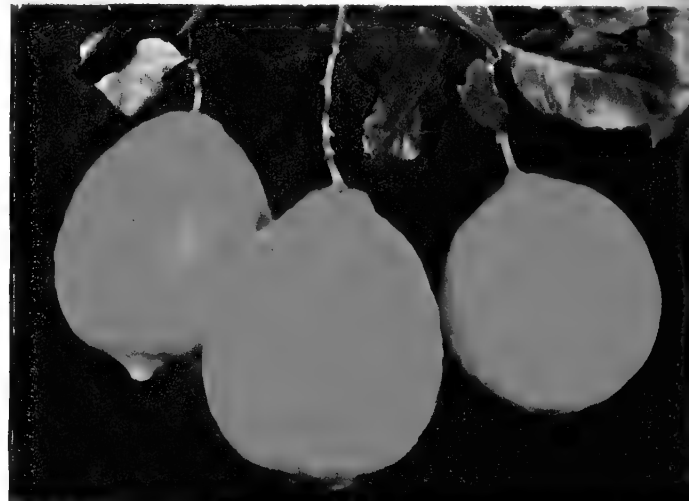
**Both only 95c  
Prepaid**



Geraniums Red Fiat and Picardy



Pompon de Paris



The above photo shows 3 Lemons on a single branch, each weighing more than a pound. They can be grown indoors in pots or outside where the temperature does not go below 20°

## EVERBEARING DWARF LEMON

**Beautiful Plant—and Bears Fruit, Too**

A true everbearing Lemon that can be as easily grown in a pot as a Geranium and which produces fruit weighing from one to three pounds each. These enormous fruits are borne on plants one to two feet high growing in pots. Delicious for lemonade and culinary purposes. Flowers are as fragrant as orange blossoms, which they somewhat resemble. Small plants (85c each) (3 for \$2.35). Large plants (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.00) prepaid.



# ← GERANIUMS

## DOUBLE FLOWERED

**RED FIAT**—Very large bright scarlet flowers on strong plants.

**ENCHANTRESS**—Large double flowers of delicate salmon-pink.

**SPRINGFIELD VIOLET**—Large double flowers of rich Tyrian-purple. Massive heads of 25 to 30 flowers are produced in abundance.

**BETTER TIMES**—Semi-double flowers of true rose-red nearly 2 inches across. Outstanding for both pot culture and bedding.

**PICARDY**—Semi-double flowers of deep salmon-pink. Dwarf branching habit and almost ever-blooming. One of the best.

**SNOWBALL**—Full double, pure white blooms on dwarf branching plants. The best white Geranium we have found.

**PRICES:** (50c each) (3 for \$1.25) (6 for \$2.35) prepaid.

## NOVELTY GERANIUMS

**MOUNTAIN OF SNOW**—Pure white double flowers on dwarf branching plants.

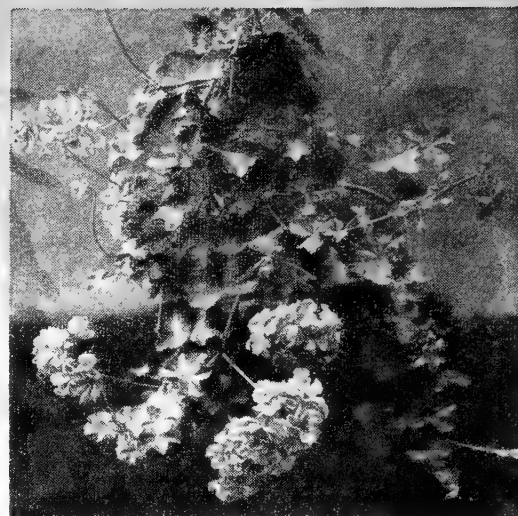
**GOLDEN BUTTERFLY**—The leaves are a very light green with a large, irregular golden yellow center suggesting a yellow butterfly which is surrounded by a deep olive-green ring. The color is best in full sun. The single flowers vary from pink to crimson.

**APPLE BLOSSOM GERANIUM**—The dainty little flowers of Apple Blossom Geranium look exactly like a half-open miniature rose, just at that stage when Roses are at their best. They are white rimmed with carmine-pink suggesting the color of apple blossoms and are borne freely on strong healthy plants.

**ROSEBUD**—Almost the same as Apple Blossom, except deep red in color.

**PRICES:** (60c each) (2 for \$1.00) prepaid.

**NOVELTY GERANIUM COLLECTION:** 1 each of 4 above only \$1.85.



## TRAILING IVY GERANIUM

These popular Geraniums are of trailing habit, with Ivy shaped foliage. The colors are clear and brilliant. Covered with blooms all summer. Ideal for trailing over stone walls and better than Ivy for porch and window boxes. Your choice of Pink, Purple, Red or White. (60c each) (4 for \$1.95) prepaid.

## GERANIUM SEED

A superb strain of the finest American and European varieties, many of them with zoned and variegated leaves. A choice mixture of all colors. Very interesting to grow from seed, and easily grown. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c) (½ oz. \$1.00)

## MARTHA WASHINGTON GERANIUMS

The Martha Washington, or Pansy, Geraniums are by far the most beautiful of all the Geranium family. During the summer, the plants are covered with quantities of velvety flowers from 2 to 4 inches across. The gorgeous, brilliant color combinations are impossible to describe but in color and shape of flower, they are suggestive of Swiss Pansy. They grow best in a cool, shady place. Available Sept. to June. (75c each) (3 for \$1.95) prepaid.

## ← MINIATURE POT ROSE

Just imagine a rose bush in full bloom small enough to place beneath a tumbler. The variety offered here is outstanding for use in the rockery or in small pots indoors, where it blooms the greater portion of the entire year.

**POMPON DE PARIS**—The tiny buds, no larger than a pea, open into well formed, double rose-pink flowers about the size of a dime. We have seen this plant bloom when only a few inches high and so small the entire plant could be placed beneath an ordinary water glass.

Plants (70c each) (2 for \$1.25) prepaid.

## WINDOW BOX BARGAIN

Enough plants for the ordinary window box. A colorful Coleus flanked by the gay flowers of two choice Geraniums with Philodendrons and Ivies for a mass of green and to trail gracefully over the edges of the box.

- 2—Geraniums
- 1—Coleus
- 2—Philodendrons
- 2—Ivies

Our Choice of Variety

**All 7 only \$1.95**  
**Prepaid**

## FUCHSIAS

**Best Indoor Flowering Plant for Hanging Basket**

**FASCINATION** (Giant Pink)—Giant double ruffled flowers of soft rose-pink and deep pink sepals.

**LORD BYRON**—Double flowers, scarlet and purple.

**PRIDE OF ORION**—Double flowers, crimson and white.

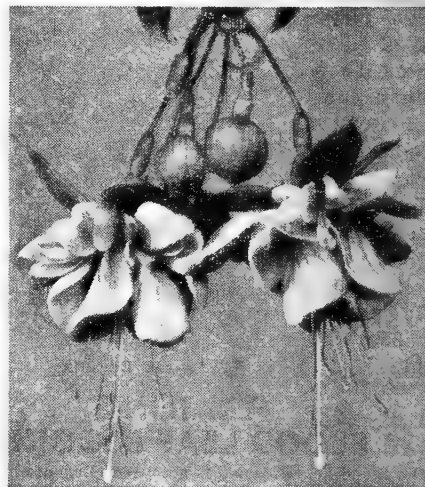
**SUNRAY**—A very unusual plant with variegated ornamental foliage, a blending of green, pink and white. The flowers are rosy-purple, with deep salmon sepals.

**PRICES:** Your choice of the above Fuchsias (50c each) (2 for 85c) postpaid. Available Sept. to June.

**FUCHSIA COLLECTION:** 1 each of 4 above only \$1.65 prepaid.

## FUCHSIA SEED

A fine mixture of varieties. Pkt. (20 seeds) 30c; (Jumbo Pkt. 75c).



Fuchsia Fascination

# Ornamental and Edible Fruit for Pot Culture

**CITRUS FRUIT COLLECTION:** 1 plant each of Lemon, Orange and Lime, all 3 plants, only \$2.35 prepaid.

## DWARF FIG

Our Dwarf Fig makes a very satisfactory and interesting house plant. As a pot or tub plant it is an abundant bearer of the most delicious fruit. Plants bear the first year and abundantly each year thereafter. The fruit is very sweet and of fine quality. Field grown plants for outdoor planting are offered on Page 60. Pot plants (75c each) (2 for \$1.35) prepaid.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

Owing to quarantines, we do not ship Orange, Lime or Lemon plants to Alabama, Arizona, California, Florida, South Carolina, and Puerto Rico.

## STRAWBERRY GUAVA

A luscious tropical fruit which makes a beautiful house plant. It bears edible fruit and fragrant flowers at the same time. The fruit is about the size of a walnut, reddish in color, and of delicious, sweet and spicy flavor. Fine for eating, and for making jelly. These plants are usually grown from seed and begin to bloom while quite small. Seed only (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c). No plants to offer this season.

## DWARF POMEGRANATE

With the introduction of the Dwarf Beauty Pomegranate, we are able to offer our customers another very ornamental, edible-fruited plant for pot culture. It is a most interesting plant which can be successfully grown in the ordinary home. The pretty foliage, the great abundance of exceptionally beautiful scarlet flowers and the handsome, attractive, crimson fruits, make it a plant that attracts the attention of every lover of choice flower novelties. In addition to their attractiveness and beauty, the fruits add a rich, exquisite flavor to fruit and vegetable salads. Plants (75c each) (2 for \$1.35) prepaid.

## DWARF FRUITING ORANGE

A fine pot plant, with glossy leaves, fragrant waxy-white blossoms, and an abundance of little Oranges that will hang on the plants for six months after they are ripe. While it will grow 3 to 4 feet high and branch freely, it is not an uncommon thing to see little 5 to 6 inch plants full of bloom and even bearing one or two Oranges. Plants (85c each) (3 for \$2.35) prepaid.

## DWARF LIME

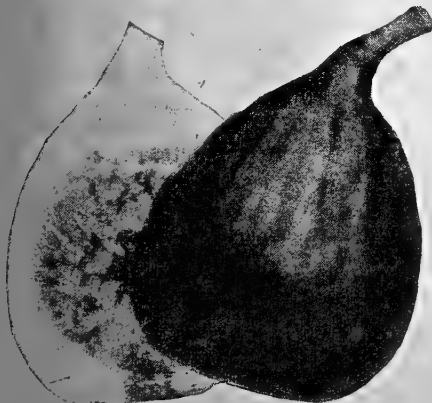
In habit of growth the Dwarf Lime is much like the Dwarf Orange, but the fruit is similar to the commercial Limes found in the fruit markets. Plants (85c each) (3 for \$2.35) prepaid.



Pigmy Date Palm

## PIGMY DATE PALM

The Pigmy Date Palm is a close relative of the larger commercial variety. While in warm climates it will reach a height of ten feet, it seldom grows over two or three feet high indoors. From an ornamental standpoint, the Pigmy Date Palm is just as attractive and desirable as other varieties of Palms, and in addition it will produce edible fruit in your own living room, under pot culture, as well as outside in the South. Plants (\$1.00 each) (2 for \$1.75) prepaid.



Dwarf Fig Fruits, Reduced in Size



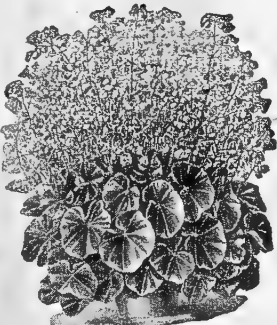
Watermelon Begonia

## WATERMELON BEGONIA

An excellent house plant for the window or table. The leaves withstand the dry air of rooms better than the majority of plants. Leaves thick and waxy-like, are distinctly variegated white and green, and have the appearance of being powdered with frosted silver. Plants. (50c each) (2 for 90c) prepaid.

## BEEFSTEAK BEGONIA

A low spreading Begonia, with circular leaves, red beneath and dark glossy green above, and of heavy texture. Dainty coral-red flowers. The finest pot Begonia for house culture. Grown as easily as a geranium. (49c each) (2 for 85c) prepaid.



Beefsteak Begonia

## TRAILING BLOOD LEAF BEGONIA

The Blood Leaf Begonia is not a true Begonia but is known botanically as *Irisine*. It so closely resembles the Begonias in habit that it is often mistaken for one. We know of no plant that is easier to grow, thriving under conditions so poor that most plants will die. The oval shaped leaves up to 2 inches long are blood red in color with darker blotches. They are produced the entire length of long drooping branches that hang over the edge of the pot. An excellent plant for urns, hanging baskets and ferneries. (45c each) (2 for 75c) prepaid.



Primrose Obconica Grandiflora

## PRIMROSE

**OBCONICA GRANDIFLORA.** One of the finest and most important winter blooming pot plants. Can be easily grown in any light window, flowering abundantly and continuously, bearing immense trusses of large flowers in choice assortment of colors, from pure white and soft pink through the different shades of rose and red to the brightest crimson. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c).



Painted Leaf Begonia

## PAINTED LEAF BEGONIA

Few house plants are so entirely satisfactory in every way as the Painted Leaf or Rex Begonias. They are rich in color and beautiful in design and are easily handled under almost any condition. The large, broad leaves, high colorings and exquisite markings make them invaluable as decorative plants for house culture. They make excellent plants for baskets and vases if given plenty of moisture and not exposed to the full rays of the sun. We can supply a fine assortment of varieties, all beautifully marked, some with broad bands and borders, some blotched and speckled. Many odd combinations of colors, some with markings of deep maroon, various shades of red, silvery-rose, silver, bronze, etc.

We cannot fill orders for special colors or varieties but each plant on your order will be a different variety. Delivered from September until June.

Each Plant a Different Variety. (\$1.00 each) (2 for \$1.75) prepaid.

## BEGONIA SEED

**SEMPERFLORENS HYBRIDS.** As a bedding plant, it ranks with *Coleus* and *Geraniums*. Of sturdy growth, about one foot high, forming dense bushes, which from May until frost are completely hidden with flowers. As a house plant, it blooms throughout the entire year. A fine mixture of colors, from pure white to deepest crimson. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c).

## ANGEL WING BEGONIA

Unusual wing-shaped waxy leaves with bright red flowers. Will bloom all winter for you. Very new. (50c each) (2 for 85c)

**BEGONIA COLLECTION:** 1 each of Angel Wing, Beefsteak and Watermelon, all 3 only \$1.25 prepaid.

## CALCEOLARIA

Rich and Varied Colors

An ornamental house plant, producing a mass of beautiful pocket-like flowers in the spring; a universal favorite with florists. The *Calceolaria* is grown from seed. Our select strain of seed is, we believe, the finest in cultivation; flowers large in size and beautifully spotted and blotched in exceedingly rich and varied colors; very free flowering. No plants to offer. Seed. (Pkt. 35c) (Jumbo Pkt. 90c).

## NIGHT-BLOOMING JASMINE

The Night-Blooming Jasmine (*Cestrum Parqui*) is a highly prized house plant. The foliage is a deep green color; produces richly fragrant blooms. Their fragrance is most noticeable at night. (50c each) (3 for \$1.25).

## SNAKE PLANT — Sansevieria

This is the old favorite that must be a part of every indoor garden. Will stand almost any kind of treatment and survive indefinitely, even without sunlight. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

## CARNATION

**CHABAUD GANT IMPROVED.** A fine strain of giant-flowered Carnation which blooms the first year if seed is sown early in the Spring. The plants make compact bushes 2 to 3 feet tall and bear, on tall stems, a mass of nicely fringed, intensely fragrant double flowers. In many sections of the country they do well outdoors. Mixture of colors. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## WEATHER PLANT

If the leaves stand upright the weather will be fine. If they stand out straight, changeable weather is expected, and the leaves droop or "go to sleep" during a storm. Light purple flowers; brilliant red seeds which are used for beads. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

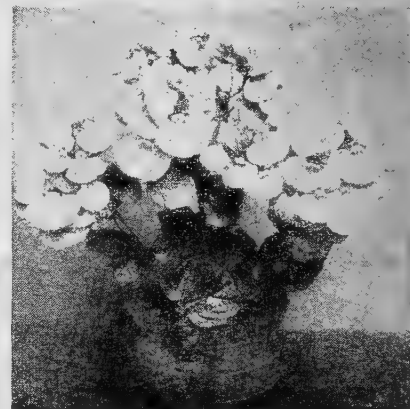
## Giant Angel's Trumpet

The Giant Angel's Trumpet (*Datura arborea*) is a magnificent plant. Hardy outside in the South. In the Northern States it can be kept indoors in winter and on the porch or garden in summer. Blooms both winter and summer. Large tropical leaves; beautiful trumpet-shaped flowers nearly a foot long, pure white, and as fragrant as the Jasmine. One of the most gorgeous of all blooming plants. Seeds. (Packet 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

Blooming age plants (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.



Giant Angel's Trumpet



Calceolaria



## NUT ORCHID

*Achimenes*

Grows Indoors or Outdoors

One of the easiest of all bulbs to grow indoors. Blooms in ten weeks from planting. We recommend three bulbs to a pot. Also suited to outdoor culture in semi-shade. The flowers are 1½ to 2 in. across and similar in appearance to *Gloxinias*. They come in various shades of Blue, Lavender, Purple, Red, Pink and White. Blooming size bulbs available from December until March. Mixture of colors only. (3 for 80c) (6 for \$1.50) prepaid.





Exhibition Chrysanthemum

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS Exhibition

The Exhibition or late flowering Chrysanthemum is the queen of Autumn flowers. This giant-flowered type will bloom in the open in Southern States but should be taken inside in the North and will make a most beautiful house plant. Strong greenhouse-grown plants delivered from February 15th to June 1st.

**BLAZING GOLD**—Yellow. (55c each) (3 for \$1.40) (6 for \$2.40).

**SILVER SHEEN**—White. (55c each) (3 for \$1.40) (6 for \$2.40).

**PINK CHIEF**—Pink. (55c each) (3 for \$1.40) (6 for \$2.40).

**IVANHOE**—Bronze. (50c each) (3 for \$1.30) (6 for \$2.20).

**HILDA BERGEN**—Red. (50c each) (3 for \$1.30) (6 for \$2.20).

**EXHIBITION MUM COLLECTION**—1 each of 5 above only \$2.35 prepaid.



## GARDENIA Flower of Romance

This fragrant flower of romance can be grown in the warm temperature of the living room. The beautiful, waxy-white flowers, together with the glossy, green foliage, make an almost "fairy-like" combination. Cannot be shipped into California. Strong, blooming-size plants. (75c each) (2 for \$1.35) prepaid.

## GROW HOUSE PLANTS FROM SEEDS

Our **SPECIAL MIXTURE** of House Plant Seeds contains the following list of varieties and others, all easily grown.

**Begonia**  
**Calla**  
**Chrysanthemum**  
**Cineraria**  
**Coleus**  
**Cyclamen**  
**Asparagus Fern**  
**Cigar Plant**

**Carnation**  
**Cactus**  
**Fan-Leaf Palm**  
**Geranium**  
**Heliotrope**  
**Lantana**  
**Lobelia**  
**Periwinkle**

**Jerusalem Cherry**

You can secure a nice collection of House Plants at practically no cost by sowing this seed in pots or boxes in the house. This collection contains 15 or more varieties that can be easily and successfully grown in the ordinary home. The seed is put up in mixture of varieties, a few seeds of each, and at our price of 50c a packet, a large assortment of plants can be grown for less money than you would pay a florist for one plant. Were you to buy these seeds in separate packets, they would cost you from \$2.00 to \$3.00. We have a good stock of these seeds and expect to be able to supply everyone who wants them, but should our supply of one or more varieties run short, we reserve the right to substitute other choice varieties or return your money. This is a bargain package that will please the most critical lover of house plants. With each packet we send full directions for planting the seed and caring for same. (Pkt. 50c) (Jumbo Pkt. \$1.25).

## BIRD OF PARADISE—

**Poinciana Gilliesii**

Rich, golden-yellow flowers with long, incurved fan-like stamens and pistils of bright crimson. Flowers measure 2 1/4 inches across and are produced in immense trusses. Foliage is also highly decorative. Should be grown as a pot plant, except in the warmer parts of the South where it is hardy. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c).

## PERIWINKLE—Vinca Rosea

Bushy plants with glossy leaves and 1 1/2-inch blooms. Bloom over long period. 18 inches. Grows outdoors as a perennial in mild climates. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## OLEANDER

The Oleander has been a popular tub plant for generations and is still increasing in demand. It can be trimmed in either shrub or tree form, requires very little care and rewards the grower with a wealth of double, fragrant blooms in early summer. In mild climates, the Oleander is well known as a lawn specimen or a hedge plant.

We can furnish plants in **Pink, Red or Yellow**, your selection. (50c each) (3 for \$1.50) prepaid.

**WANDERING JEW.** Will grow in either soil or water. Foliage plain green, variegated green and white, or green and purple. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00).

## LOBELIA SAPPHIRE

A beautiful trailing plant; a mass of large sapphire-blue flowers with white eye; never out of flower. A most desirable plant for pots, baskets, urns, beds and borders. Seed only. (Pkt. 20c) (Jumbo Pkt. 50c).

## CIGAR PLANT

A charming compact house plant, literally covered with scarlet tubular flowers throughout the year. Simple culture. Seed only. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

## FAN-LEAVED PALM

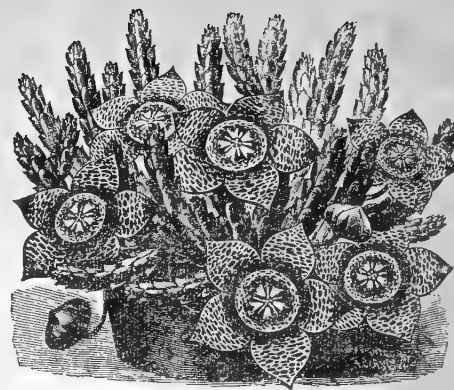
Finest of all Palms. Easily grown from seed. Elegant fan-shaped leaves of rich, dark green; beautifully fringed with long, thread-like filaments along the segments of the leaves. A compact grower, well adapted to pot culture, and succeeds in any situation. Needs no petting; stands dust and dry air; lack of sunshine does not bother it. The fan leaves do not develop until the 2nd year. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c). One-year plants (\$1.00 each) (2 for \$1.75) prepaid.

## SHOO-FLY PLANT

It is said that flies will not stay in a room where it is grown if they can conveniently escape. What there is about it that repulses them is not clear, as the plants and flowers have no odor. It is a beautiful flowering plant, and blooms in a short time (60 days) from seed. It is a profuse bloomer in pots both summer and winter, the blossoms being large, cup-shaped and of a lovely light blue color with white center. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## Cactus Seed

A mixture of 30 choice varieties including many rare and unusual kinds. An interesting hobby. (Pkt. 30c) (Jumbo Pkt. 75c).



Starfish

## STARFISH

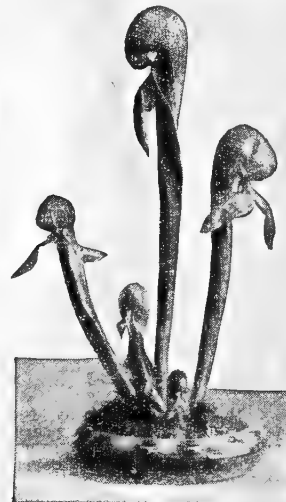
A branching succulent plant from Africa, somewhat resembling a Cactus. Produces grotesque star-shaped flowers nearly two inches across, spotted yellow and brown. A very attractive plant and a great curiosity. (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

## EVERBLOOMING LANTANAS

**Everblooming Hybrids.** An unexcelled bedding or border plant; also used as a pot plant, in hanging baskets, porch boxes and vases. Verbena-like heads of flowers almost constantly in bloom. 2 to 3 feet. Seed in mixture of colors. (Pkt. 15c) (Jumbo Pkt. 35c).

## Cobra Orchid

It Catches Flies, Eats Raw Meat,  
Likes Ants and Bugs



One of the most fascinating plants known to man. It resembles the hooded cobra of the jungles of India, and is one of the few carnivorous plants known to science.

The plant has no leaves, the stalks are twisted and funnel shape, small at the bottom, growing larger with a rounded hood at the top from which hang two crimson and green appendages which have the appearance of feelers or whisks.

The hood is beautifully colored, and mottled by white translucent areas through which the interior is lighted. Both hood and appendages bear many honey glands, the excretion from which tempts bugs, ants, flies, in fact all kinds of insects toward the mouth, an orifice on the under side of the hood, and are lured inside the funnel-like stem from which they can not come back, as the stem is lined with innumerable little hair-like prongs all pointing downward, and once they get below a few of these points they have to continue on downward where the victim is absorbed in the digestive fluid or liquid in the bottom of the stem.

The Cobra Orchid, or Darlingtonia, is a perennial which will grow year after year out of doors, provided it is given a shady position and never allowed to become dry. Along the banks of a pool is an ideal place. It also may be grown as a house plant, in pots of sandy soil and leaf mould.

If kept in a room free from all insects, it is advisable once or twice weekly to place a few small particles of raw beef, about the size of a grain of wheat, in the orifice for its nourishment; however, if placed where there are other plants, in the average room, a sufficient number of insects will be attracted from them, making artificial feeding unnecessary.

The Cobra Orchid blooms in the spring, having unusual purple and yellow flowers. Available from October 1st until June.

Plants (\$1.60 each) (2 for \$2.95) prepaid.

# BURGESS' GARDEN SUPPLIES

Shipped 12 Months of Year—Prepaid Except Where Noted Otherwise



## FERTO-POTS For Earlier, Better Crops and Bigger Profit THE PLANT EATS THE POT

FERTO-POTS produce earlier crops and more abundant yields. They are constructed of manure and fertilizer in the correct proportions for best plant growth and for holding the moisture at the roots of the plants. The plants are not removed from the pots when they are set out. Simply set pot and all in the ground and the roots will grow right through the pot which slowly breaks down, furnishing valuable plant food.

FERTO-POTS are made in the following sizes:

- No. 2 (about 2 inches in diameter) for lettuce, onion and small flower plants.
- No. 2½ (about 2½ inches in diameter) for tomato, cabbage, pepper, egg plant, etc.
- No. 3 (about 3 inches in diameter).

### PRICES OF FERTO-POTS

The following prices are for shipment by Express f.o.b. the factory at Pittstown, N. J. If you prefer Parcel Post shipment, ask your local Post Office the amount of postage required on the below shipping weights to your city from Pittstown, N. J., and add the proper amount to your remittance.

- No. 2, Carton of 100 (weight 5 lbs.)....\$2.50
- No. 2, Carton of 500 (weight 20 lbs.).... 9.00
- No. 2½, Carton of 100 (weight 8 lbs.).... 2.75
- No. 2½, Carton of 250 (weight 21 lbs.).... 5.00
- No. 3, Carton of 100 (weight 11 lbs.).... 3.25
- No. 3, Carton of 250 (weight 25 lbs.).... 5.75

FERTO-POTS are not sold in broken cartons, but will keep indefinitely. Any that are not used this year will be good later.

## RA-PID-GRO

### Sensational Plant Food

RA-PID-GRO is a concentrated fertilizer shipped in dry form. You need only to add water and apply according to directions. One pound of RA-PID-GRO in 22 gallons of water will make 176 pounds of liquid fertilizer at less than ¾¢ per pound. RA-PID-GRO contains no filler found in many fertilizers, so ask yourself, which is the best diet for your plants?

Growing plants should be fed regularly during the growing season and all food must be in liquid form before roots can absorb it. When RA-PID-GRO is used according to instructions you are applying a liquid fertilizer ready for plants to use. Help trees, shrubs and plants recover from the shock of transplanting by dipping the roots in a solution of RA-PID-GRO before planting.

Analysis: Nitrogen 23%; Phosphoric Acid 27%; Potash 17%. Also contains Vitamins B<sub>1</sub> and B<sub>2</sub>.



Postpaid

- 2 oz. size (makes 6 qts. or 12 lbs.) \$0.35
- 1 lb. bag (makes 22 gal. or 176 lbs.) 1.25
- 5 lb. bag (makes 110 gal. or 880 lbs.) 4.50

## D. & P. FRUIT SPRAY

### A Complete and Effective Insecticide and Fungicide



This is the complete spray for apples, peaches, plums, prunes, pears, grapes and other fruits. It contains the most effective of the newly developed chemicals for insect and disease control—DDT, Pyrethrum, Sulphur and Fermetate. This combination of chemicals will easily control any leaf-cutting and sucking insects, as well as all types of plant diseases on fruits.

Controls: aphids, European red mite and other mites, mealy bugs, oriental fruit moth, codling moth, grapeberry moth, grape leaf hopper, thrips, Japanese beetles, peach twig borer, pear psylla, apple and peach scab, cedar rust, quince rust, sooty blotch, brown rot, curculio, San Jose scale and other fungus diseases.

### Easy to Use

D. & P. Fruit Spray is easy to mix and use; wets immediately and provides a uniform deposit. 1 lb. makes 10 gallons of spray. (10 oz. 95c) (2 lbs. \$2.50) prepaid.

D & P DORMANT SPRAY—Reliable and popular dormant spray for use on shade trees, shrubs, evergreens. Destroys scale insects, aphids, sawflies and other insects that winter-over. (Qt. can \$1.00).

## Forged GARDEN SHEARS



Here is the finest pair of Garden Shears you will find, at an especially low price. They are made of forged steel, polished like a mirror. (\$1.98 each) prepaid.



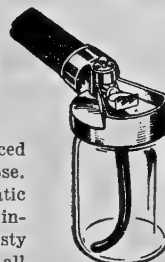
## BERRY-SET

Makes berries grow much larger—often 50% to 100% BIGGER—meatier—sweeter—most luscious tasting. Increases berry yields greatly. Strawberries have fewer seeds. Sprayed berry plants bear ripe fruit over a longer period of time; therefore gardeners enjoy a longer season, get greater enjoyment and greater value from their berry plants. This new scientific "Hormone" powder effective on ALL berries.

ries. 1 oz. package makes 4 gallons. (1 oz. 50c) (3 oz. \$1.00) prepaid.

## GARD-N-GUN

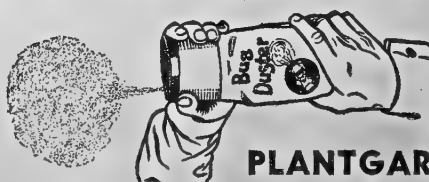
### Sprays All Types of Insecticides and Fungicides



This small, lightweight, low priced sprayer attaches to garden hose. Then, simply flip the Touchomatic control and spray perfectly mixed insecticide or fungicide. Fine, misty spray saturates the plant to kill all insects. Spray slants upward at correct angle for underleaf coverage and gives a complete and lasting clean-up kill. Gentle spray has enough force to penetrate inside leaves on shrubs, hedges, vegetables, etc. (\$2.98 each) prepaid.

Sprays 1½ gals. properly proportioned spray with the ½ pint jar furnished. No tank to carry, no pumping required. Use fruit jar for replacement.

## BOTH DUST and DUSTER



## PLANTGARD

### Multi-Purpose Garden Dust

A combined Insecticide and Fungicide used to control insects, and many fungus diseases, such as black spot and mildew on roses, early and late blights, mildew, anthracnose, scab and leaf spot on many vegetables. Comes in "Hand Pump" self dusting container. (1 lb. 70c) prepaid.

## ANT-X KILLS ANTS in the NEST

### ANT-X JELLY BAIT

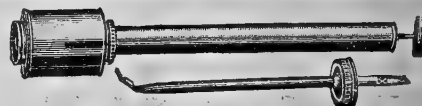
Ants like the taste of ANT-X. They'll carry it back to the nest and destroy the entire colony. Destroys both sweet and grease-eating ants. Comes in two forms. Bait in jelly form for out-door use. A drop on each ant-hill is sufficient.

- 1-oz. tube ANT-X Jelly, 40c, postpaid.
- 4-oz. tube ANT-X Jelly, \$1.00, postpaid.



### ANT-X ANT TRAPS

Sanitary, safety container for use in house or garden. Just break seal of box and place where ants can get to it. Cannot be opened by a child or spilled by a pet. Ask for Ant Traps. (4 for \$1.00) postpaid.



## ACME HAND DUSTER

### Heavy-Duty Type

Built for long service. User stands upright, places nozzle tip near ground, forcing powder up through berry vines, bushes and shrubs from 6 to 7 ft. high. Equally effective for dusting the underside of low growing plants. Delivers a tremendous blast of air, due to large pump size and long stroke. Capacity 1 lb. dust. 37" in length. (\$1.65 each) prepaid.

## ACTIVO—Makes Fertilizer

COMPOST ACTIVATOR—SOIL ENER-GIZER—Just sprinkle Activo on the kitchen waste, leaves, garden rubbish, etc., to make the best type of organic fertilizer easily and quickly—often in as little time as 3 weeks. Organic! Use Activo also directly in soil, mulches, hotbeds, etc., for more "grow-power," better balance. (No. 2 size, for 200 lbs. compost \$1.00) (No. 7 size, for 1500-1700 lbs. \$2.49) (No. 25 size, for 3 tons \$6.99) all prepaid.



## 2-C Insect Repellent

A creamy, odorless lotion for applying to skin to protect against biting insects. Prevents such insects as black flies, mosquitoes, midges, deer flies, sand flies, chiggers and others from biting. One application lasts for 3 to 16 hours. Result of 5 yrs. of experimentation. Best of ALL repellents. Season's supply (2 oz. \$1.00) prepaid.

### KILLS

CRAB GRASS AND CHICKWEED

## CRAB-NOT

Potassium Cyanate

CRAB GRASS KILLER

- 4 oz. covers 700-1400 sq. ft. \$1.00
- 16 oz. covers 2800-5000 sq. ft. \$2.95



## MUSHROOM SPAWN



Our pure culture Spawn has numerous points of superiority over the old types, is more vigorous, more resistant to adverse conditions and more repellent of insects than other types. It is without doubt the most dependable produced. Instructions for growing included with every shipment. (2 oz. pkt. 50c) (3—2 oz. pkts. \$1.35) prepaid.



## SNAROL—Kills Cutworms

SNAROL INSECT BAIT is one of the most effective known eradicators of Cutworms, Grasshoppers, Strawberry Root Weevils, Snails, Slugs, Earwigs, Sowbugs and other insects with similar feeding habits.

SNAROL is made from ground sweet apples, combined with Sodium Fluosilicate. It is extremely attractive to insects and remains in moist, edible condition for many days after application.



SNAROL is very effective against the Vegetable Weevils which attack Carrots, Turnips, Spinach, Cauliflower, Cabbage, Lettuce, Celery, Radishes, etc.

SNAROL is ready and easy to use. No mixing is required. Just scatter around infested plants. One application is usually sufficient. One pound will cover 200 square feet.

2½ lb. box (Treats 500 sq. ft.) \$1.00 postpaid.



## RED-ARROW

### Non-Poisonous Garden Spray

RED ARROW Garden Spray is absolutely non-poisonous to children, poultry, pets and everything but insects. Death is absolutely sure to both chewing and sucking insects. When properly used it will not burn, blight or stain the tenderest leaf, flower, petal or fruit. May be sprayed on fruit or vegetables before they are eaten, and no harmful effect can ensue on health or digestion.

RED ARROW is recommended for Rose Bugs, Aphids, Red Spiders, Leaf Hoppers, Mealy Bugs, Cut Worms, Caterpillars, Cabbage Worms, Tomato Worms, Wire Worms, Army Worms, Box Mites, Currant Worms, Fern Scale, Thrips, Squash Bugs, Aster Beetles, Japanese Beetles and many other beetles and bugs.

1 oz. bottle makes 4 to 8 gals. spray, 50c, postpaid.  
4 oz. bottle makes 15 to 30 gals., \$1.00, postpaid.  
1 pint makes 70 to 140 gals., \$2.85, postpaid.

## ROTENONE

### HAMMOND'S 75 DUST

Will Not Injure Tender Foliage



Forty times more powerful than arsenate of lead as a stomach poison, and fifteen times more effective than nicotine, yet harmless to humans and animals. Dry powder—easy to use—no water, no mixing, no muss. Perfect control for leaf-eating insects. Recommended for Mexican Bean beetle, tomato worms, aphids, and most bothersome insects. Rotenone, 1 lb., 60c; 5 lbs., \$1.95, postpaid.

## SABA DUST

It Kills the "TOUGH" Bugs

This marvelous new discovery gives perfect control of some of the tough garden bugs which up to now have been almost impossible to kill. Such "Toughies" as stink bugs, squash bugs, harlequin bugs, lygus bugs, pickle worms, Say's plant bugs and most others are easily disposed of. Best dust of all to keep your melons, squash, cabbage, collards, etc., absolutely clean. Also, fine for chinch bugs in sweet corn, and hairy chinch bugs in the lawn.

Absolutely safe, as it contains no DDT or arsenicals. Complete directions sent with every order. (1 lb. 60c) prepaid.

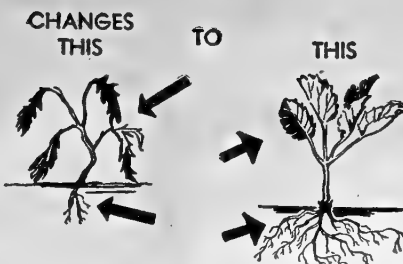


## SLUG SHOT

Destroys Insects

Kills Cucumber, Melon and Squash Bugs, Bean Beetles, Cabbage Worms, Potato Bugs, Green Flies, Slugs and all chewing insects, and controls fungus. Harmless to plants, flowers and vegetables, but deadly to leaf-eating insects and fungus. Easy to use—simply dust it on. 1 lb. can, 60c; 5 lb. can, \$2.25, postpaid.

## TRANSPLANTONE



One grower tripled his Tomato crop with TRANSPLANTONE and started picking three weeks earlier. Growers say "Lettuce 10 days earlier, Cabbage 3 weeks earlier." Always use TRANSPLANTONE when moving plants. It reduces wilting and gives the plant a quicker start.

Water your shrubs, roses and garden plants with TRANSPLANTONE solution and have stronger plants.

TRANSPLANTONE is a soluble powder, harmless and easy to use. 1 oz. makes 10 gallons of transplanting solution or 1,000 gallons of solution for watering.

½ oz. package, 25c; 3 oz. can, \$1.00; 1-lb. can, \$4.00, postpaid.

## ROOTONE Hormone Powder

Dip Cuttings for Quicker, More Successful Rooting. Dust Flower Seeds and Bulbs for Better Germination, Stronger Plants and Earlier Flowering. Dust Vegetable Seed for Earlier and Bigger Crops.

25c Package Rootone (about ¼ oz.)—Will treat up to 400 cuttings; 2½ to 10 lbs. of seed; 25 to 30 seed packets; or 100 bulbs—just right for the small gardener. 25c, postpaid. 2 oz. Jar, \$1.00, postpaid.

## FRUITONE—Increases Yields

Stops Premature Drop of Flowers—Fruits—Leaves

FRUITONE, the hormone spray, helps pollination, thus produces better set of fruit. Some varieties of fruit trees and berry plants that ordinarily do not set fruit unless a male plant is near to fertilize the flowers on the female plants, can be made to set fruit without the use of pollen, by spraying with FRUITONE when plants are in bloom.

Spraying with FRUITONE has given as much as a 30% increase in yield of Beans; 35 to 50% increase of Cotton; and 12 more bushels of corn per acre.

FRUITONE stops premature drop of apples and other fruits. Contains the same chemicals found by the United States Department of Agriculture to be most effective. Holds apples on the tree to maturity of size and color.

2-oz. package (enough for 25 gallons of spray), \$1.00; 12-oz. can (enough for 150 gallons), \$5.00, postpaid.

## ROSETONE

Helps Roots Start Growing—Promotes Earlier Blooms

ROSETONE is a formulation that is carefully balanced to increase your success in planting roses. It contains the plant hormones known to be most effective in forming new roots, as well as other chemicals to encourage their continued growth.

The roots of a dormant rose plant are inactive. Rosetone helps start those roots growing actively and producing the feeder roots essential for the life and growth of the plant. Sturdy Rosetone-treated plants that start growing more quickly and with more feeder roots produce more luxuriant growth and earlier blooms than untreated plants.

½-oz. Packet (for very small planting), 25c; 3-oz. Can, \$1.00. Prepaid.

## Improved WEEDONE

2,4-D Weed Killer—Plus 2,4,5-T

This is the famous "original" weed killer, improved for greater killing power. It contains the ethyl ester form which is the most effective type of 2,4-D, plus 2,4,5-T.

Just spray Weedone on your lawn and watch dandelions, plantain, dock, thistle and many other weeds die without injury to the grass. Not injurious to humans or animals. 8-oz., \$1.00; Quart, \$2.75. Prepaid.



## 40% NICOTINE SULPHATE

A powerful nicotine spray for sucking insects and one of the most effective against aphids, leaf-hoppers, leaf miners, thrips, sucking bugs and other similar insects. Kills by contact or by fumes. 1 oz. makes 6 gallons of spray. (1 oz. 50c) (5 oz. \$1.25) prepaid.

## KILL

## RATS



## X-IT WARFARIN

The famous Warfarin you read about in Reader's Digest that rid whole towns of rats at one time. Greatest rat killer of all time. Guaranteed to rid your place of rats (if used properly) in 4 to 14 days. Absolutely harmless to humans, pets and barnyard animals. Full directions included. 2 oz. size makes 2½ lbs. of bait. (\$1.10 each) prepaid.

RAT-NOTS—Prepared bait, no mixing. We listed for years. Still good. Household size (9 Rat-nots) (30c each). Estate size (50 Rat-nots) (\$1.00).

MOUSE-NOTS—Simple, harmless to use. (50 nots) (\$1.00).



## GRAPE & ROSE DUST

NON-POISONOUS  
Safe to Use

Prevents Mildew and Black Spot. Successful Rose growers, Grape growers and florists everywhere use this non-poisonous fungicide. Safe to use—will not harm any pet or human. Easy to use—simply dust it on. Not unsightly when applied to plants. 1 lb., 60c; 5 lbs., \$2.10, postpaid.

## FORMACIDE—for Damping Off

Scab, Mold, Black Leg, etc.

Stop Damping-Off. Unprotected tender seedlings are helpless before this deadly fungus disease. Every planter of vegetables and flower seed should use FORMACIDE to prevent seeds decaying in the ground and to prevent seedling plants from dying when small. By applying FORMACIDE to the soil and using Burgess' Disease Treated Seeds, your seedlings and plants are, at a very small expense, doubly protected against the most serious plant disease problem confronting horticulturists. FORMACIDE also disinfects the soil sufficiently to kill other fungus diseases which may cause scab, mold, black leg, etc. It also stimulates plant growth, gives stronger plants, and increases productivity. Soil treated with FORMACIDE can be planted immediately. FORMACIDE can even be mixed with fertilizer and drilled directly with the seed at the rate of 1 lb. to a 450-foot row.

PRICES: ½ lb., 60c; 1 lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$2.95, postpaid.

## TRI-GEN—for Healthy Roses

Tri-Gen is a combination spray to keep your Roses healthy. It will protect your Roses against Black Spot, Mildew and many insects. It can also be used on Phlox, Delphinium, Asters and many other plants attacked by fungus or insect pests. Tri-Gen comes in both spray and dust form.

Tri-Gen Spray—A Size, makes 16 qts. .... \$2.25

Tri-Gen Spray—E Size, makes 8 qts. .... 1.35

Tri-Gen Dust—1 lb. containers, each. .... 1.00

The above prices are postpaid.

## Keeps DOGS Away

Protect Plants  
from Dogs  
and Rabbits



From  
Flowers  
Evergreens

All prepaid

LIQUID CHAPERONE—A dog repellent that does not dissolve in rain. Harmless to plants. Keeps dogs away. (4 oz. 70c) (12 oz. \$1.35).

POWDER CHAPERONE—Use indoors on furniture, rugs, etc. (Trial size 50c) (Large size \$1.00).

RABBIT CHAPERONE—Prevent damage to trees, shrubs and garden with this spray. Doesn't smell. Won't dissolve in rain. (4 oz. 70c) (12 oz. \$1.35).

Burgess Seed & Plant Co.

## SOIL-SOAKER

LIKE ALL NIGHT RAIN

Water seeps through entire length gently—no spray—puts water where you want it—all soaks to the roots. Made of scientifically treated, mildew resistant canvas, one end screws to water hose, other end closed. Water seeps through every pore, soaks directly into the soil over an area of several feet on all sides. No spray—no waste on walks, driveways, in street—no excessive evaporation. Ideal for lawns, terraces, flower and vegetable gardens, hedges, shrubs, trees, etc. Savings on water bills, as much as 25%.

Postpaid 12-foot length, \$1.80—18-foot length, \$2.40  
Prices— 30-foot length, \$3.70—50-foot length, \$6.00



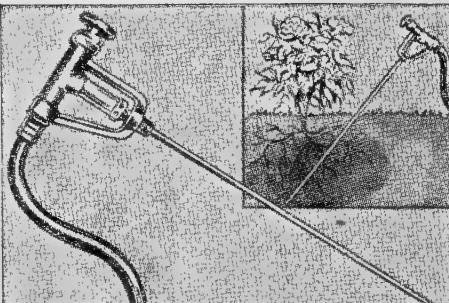
## ROSS ROOT FEEDER

Water and fertilizer at the same time right at the roots where it does the most good. Stops wasted fertilizer and prevents burning of foliage. Attach the Ross Root Feeder to your own garden hose, insert a cartridge of Ross Nutrient and let the feeder do the work.

One Ross Root Feeder and one dozen Nutrient Cartridges for \$4.98, postpaid.

**NUTRIENT CARTRIDGES.** Contain a balanced fertilizer (8-16-8) for general garden use. The cartridge will dissolve in about 30 minutes with average water pressure. Packed one dozen in a box at \$1.00 per box, postpaid.

**ACID CARTRIDGE.** Prepared especially for Evergreens, Blueberries, Azaleas, Rhododendrons and other acid-loving plants. Analysis 10-20-20. Packed one dozen in a box at \$1.00 per box, postpaid.



## HOLE-IN-ONE BULB and Plant Setter



This handy tool makes the type of hole best suited for bulbs. They do best when planted with their roots resting on a firm flat base free from air-pockets. Merely cut the tool into the soil, remove it with a slight twisting motion and the soil comes with it, leaving a clean, flat-bottomed hole in which plants or bulbs may be set. (98c each) prepaid.

## CONVERTIBLE SPRABULB and DUSTER

Sprays under leaves and keeps plants clean and healthy. Dozens of household uses. Soft rubber. Two nozzles: one for 8 oz. of liquid, one for dust. \$1.00. Prepaid.



## Luxuriant Lawns and Gardens THIS NEW EASY WAY



# VITAMIST

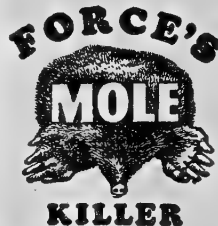
VITAMIZE AS YOU SPRINKLE

NEW—simple, easy, quick way to VITAMIZE your entire lawn and garden. Assure yourself of gorgeous, luxuriant flowers and a beautiful, attractive lawn that will be the envy of your friends and neighbors.

**NO FUSS—NO MESS—NO BOTHER**

Simply remove the nozzle from your garden hose, drop a VITAMIST Cartridge into the hose, replace the nozzle and turn on the water. NOTHING ELSE LIKE IT. One Cartridge will VITAMIZE 1,500 square feet.

**THIRTY WEEKS' SUPPLY . . . Postpaid \$100**  
Packed 30 cartridges in a box—enough to VITAMIZE 1,500 square feet once a week for 30 weeks.



## Mole Killer

Kills the Moles in the Ground

No Traps No Gas

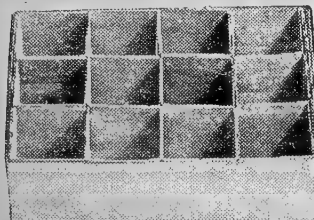
No Exposed Poison

Guaranteed to Kill Moles

or Money Refunded

Use according to the simple instructions with each package. Guaranteed to kill the moles or purchase price will be refunded. To quickly eradicate the entire family of moles, place these Pellets in all visible runways, at intervals of two feet. Moles readily seek these Pellets, eat them and die. These Pellets if placed around the edge and throughout a freshly made flower bed, will eliminate the loss of bulbs or plants. Keep an ample supply of Force's Mole Killer Pellets on hand at all times to treat new runways as soon as they appear.

Postpaid 75 Pellet Package, 60c Postpaid  
185 Pellet Package \$1.00 875 Pellet Package \$3.25



## VENEER PLANT BANDS—Better Plants and Earlier Crops

Give your flower and vegetable plants a better chance by using Plant Bands for starting seedlings indoors. Better roots and no transplanting set-back for earlier crops. Inexpensive and easy to use. Complete instructions with each order. We offer only the 2½ inch size which is the most popular for annual garden plants. Our Plant Band Kit is recommended for home garden use and consists of 3 flats, each holding 12 plant bands 2½ inches square.

Plant Band Kit (3 flats and 36 plant bands) \$1.00, postpaid.

Plant Bands only, 100 for \$1.50 postpaid, 500 for \$4.00; 1,000 for \$6.50 by Express, not prepaid.

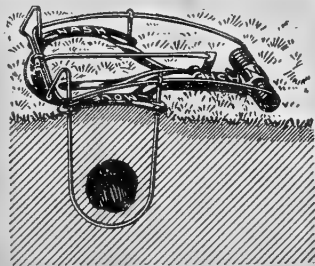
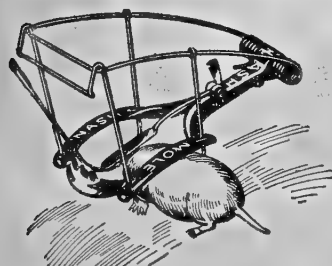
## FLYING DISK Scare Birds and Animals Away

Amazing protection for newly planted seeds, berries, tender seedlings, trees, etc. Made of shining aluminum. They spin and whirl madly in all directions—give blinding reflections and weird jingling, crackling sounds. Easily strung up. (10 for 25c).



## NASH MOLE TRAP

The Only Trap That Always Catches the Mole



Tests by the Iowa Agricultural Experiment Station show this type of trap as being by far the most effective. On the campus at Iowa State College, where moles were doing considerable damage, the three different types of traps were tested. Seventy-five moles were trapped, seventy of which were caught in Nash traps.

This trap catches the mole when it comes from either direction. The trigger is located where the mole in passing will always spring the trap and can not fail being caught by one of the loops. \$2.85 each, postpaid.



SEE...JUST A SIMPLE TWIST OF THE WRIST AND IT'S TIED...

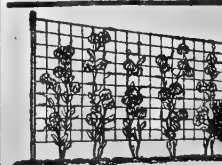


## 'TWIST-EMS'

The Quick, Neat, Permanent PLANT-TIE

Strong, dark green, "invisible" tapes with wire reinforcing—protect stems, permanently support annuals, perennials, vines, shrubs and vegetables. Millions used by professional and amateur gardeners. Price includes postage.

BOX OF 100, 8-INCH SIZE, 30c.  
BOX OF 100, 16-INCH SIZE, 55c.  
250 FOOT SPOOL, \$1.10.



NEW! DIFFERENT!

## TRELLIS NETTING

Ideal Support for SWEET PEAS, GARDEN PEAS, POLE BEANS, CUCUMBERS, TOMATOES

## TRAIN-ETTS

Trellis Netting

A new, easy to install trellis for growing your vines up off the ground. Can be hung in 5 minutes, to take the place of clumsy wires and poles. These are specially treated nets that do not rot so last for several seasons. Comes in three lengths. All are 5 ft. high.

No. 1 6 ft. long. . . . 65c each postpaid  
No. 2 8 ft. long. . . . 85c each postpaid  
No. 3 15 ft. long. . . . \$1.25 each postpaid





Jonathan

## HOME ORCHARD COLLECTION 8 FRUIT TREES \$4.65

We offer here a collection of 2 to 4 ft. trees at an exceptionally low price. Because of the low price of this collection, we cannot make any changes in the following assortment, but if it should become impossible to furnish some of the varieties, we reserve the right to make a substitution of a similar variety. 2 to 3 and 3 to 4 ft. sizes.

- |                   |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1 Apple McIntosh  | 1 Cherry Black Tar-  |
| 1 " Red Delicious | tarian               |
| 1 Peach Elberta   | 1 Cherry Montmorency |
| 1 " Rochester     | 1 Pear Bartlett      |
|                   | 1 Prune Stanley      |

**All eight trees only \$4.65 prepaid**

This collection cannot be sent to Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Oregon or Washington.

## 5 Varieties of Apples On ONE Tree

**RED DELICIOUS  
YELLOW DELICIOUS  
McINTOSH  
JONATHAN  
BALDWIN**

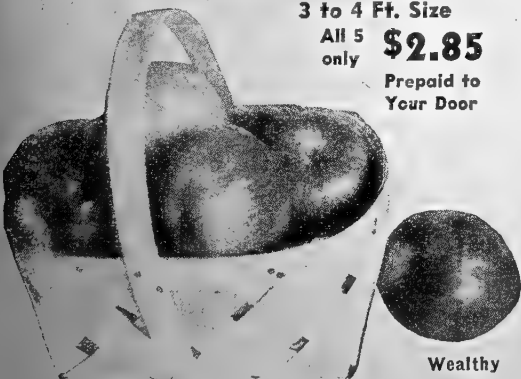
**All on One Tree  
Big 4 to 5 Ft. Size  
\$2.95 Prepaid**

**3 Apples on  
ONE TREE  
Red Delicious  
Yellow Delicious  
McIntosh  
\$2.60 Prepaid**

## BARGAIN! APPLE COLLECTION

- |                      |                    |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1—Red Delicious      | 1—Red Northern Spy |
| 1—Yellow Transparent | 1—Anoka            |
|                      | 1—Jonathan         |

**3 to 4 Ft. Size  
All 5  
only \$2.85  
Prepaid to  
Your Door**



Wealthy

## Northern Grown APPLE TREES

We offer our apples and other fruit trees with pride in their superior quality. They are raised in the famous fruit growing section of central New York where climate, soil and the know-how of experienced fruit growers produce strong, vigorous trees.

### Burgess' Low Prices

	2 to 3	4 to 6	7 to 12
each	each	each	each
3 to 4 Ft.....	\$0.80	\$0.70	\$0.65
4 to 5 Ft.....	1.25	1.20	1.15
	All Prepaid		

### ANOKA—Often Bears 2nd Year

Best early summer red apple. Begins to bear a year or two after planting. Very hardy. Fruit ripens in August and keeps well. Good for cooking and eating.

### BALDWIN—Fine Old Standby

Winter. Large, bright red fruits are crisp and juicy. A good keeper and a favorite for cooking. Often a biennial bearer. November to April.

### CORTLAND—Red and Juicy

Winter. Rich red color, flesh firm and juicy. Similar to its parent McIntosh, but apples cling longer to trees and ripen a little later and ship better. A first class variety in itself for the home gardener, it is planted in orchards to extend the picking season and to pollinate McIntosh. The trees bear the third or fourth year after planting—a money crop the sixth year. November to February.

### DOLGO CRAB—Fruit and Beauty

Early fall. Ornamental as well as fruitful, this best of the crabs is very hardy, full of juice that jells readily and makes delicious, ruby colored jelly.

### EARLY HARVEST—Tender and Juicy

Summer. Fruit of medium size; bright straw color when fully ripe. Flesh of excellent quality; tender, crisp and juicy. July to August.

### JONATHAN—Everybody's Favorite

Winter. A beautiful bright red apple, medium size. Is much in demand as a fancy apple. Tender, crisp and very juicy with a fine flavor. Comes into bearing rather young. November to February.

### McINTOSH—Delightful Flavor

Winter. Medium size, deep crimson, highest quality, juicy, sub-acid in flavor, with a characteristic aroma. Due to its high quality and attractive appearance, it commands a ready sale at fancy prices. Comes into bearing about the fourth year. A reliable cropper. October to January.

### RED ASTRACHAN—Early Red One

Summer. Most attractive early red apple. Flesh white, crisp and juicy, with a pleasant acid flavor. One of the best early eating apples. Ripens in July and keeps until September.

### QUICK BEARING APPLE COLLECTION

1—Red Delicious	1—Yellow Transparent
1—Wealthy	1—Jonathan
GIANT 4 to 5 Ft. Trees	
All 4 Only \$4.25	
Prepaid	

### RED DELICIOUS—Universally Popular

Winter. Large, brilliant dark red. Flesh fine grained, tender, crisp and juicy. Mild in flavor. Has a decided aroma which is very pleasing. A splendid keeper, and an ideal apple for the fancy box trade. The tree is hardy, vigorous and productive. Bears about the fourth year. November to May.

### RED NORTHERN SPY—For Cookin' or Eatin'

Winter. Large red striped, juicy, mild sub-acid, with a rich delicious flavor. Extra long keeper. None better for cooking or eating out of hand. November to May.

### STAYMAN WINESAP—Reliable Cropper

Winter. Large, deep red skin, juicy, with pleasing sour flavor. Comes into bearing about the fourth year and is a reliable annual cropper. In season from December to May.

### WEALTHY—Rich Dark Red

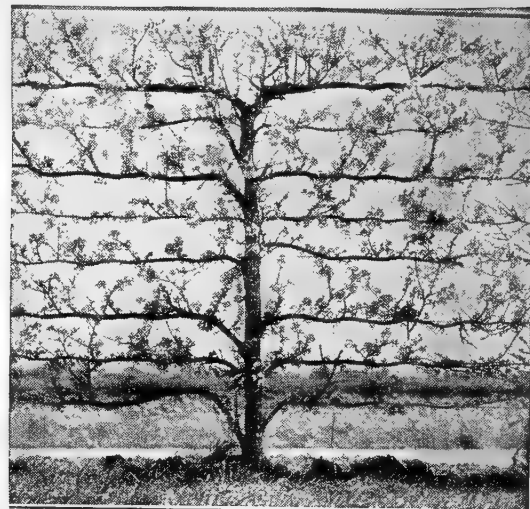
Fall. Medium to large. Flesh white, sometimes stained with red. Fine grained, tender, juicy and of excellent quality. Trees mature early and bear when 4 years old with large crops every year. September to November.

### YELLOW TRANSPARENT Early "Cooker"

Summer. The earliest apple. Produces good crops when trees are four to five years old. Skin pale yellow. Flesh white, crisp, juicy and mildly sub-acid. Excellent eating and cooking apple. Ripens in July and continues in season until September.

**NOTE: We cannot ship Apple Trees to Colorado.**

## DWARF APPLE and PEAR TREES



Dwarf Pear Tree Trained in Formal Style

## TAKE LITTLE SPACE—BEAR YOUNG—FRUIT FULL SIZE

Dwarf fruit trees solve the problem of fruit growing in small areas. They are ornamental for the lawn, come into bearing much earlier than standard trees and are very productive. The trees never get over 8 or 10 feet high so that the fruit can be easily picked. Set 6 to 8 feet apart. They take up so little room they can be planted in places where it would be impossible to grow a larger tree. They frequently commence to bear the second year after planting, and will bear good crops within three or four years. The fruit is of the same size as that borne on larger trees.

By pruning, Dwarf Fruit Trees can be trained to grow into interesting shapes, flat against buildings or walls, for hedges, or on a fence like the illustration above.

## Choose from These Varieties

**DWARF APPLES**  
Baldwin  
Cortland  
McIntosh  
Northern Spy  
Red Delicious  
Stayman Winesap  
Yellow Transparent

**DWARF PEARS**  
Bartlett  
Clapp Favorite  
Kieffer  
Seckel

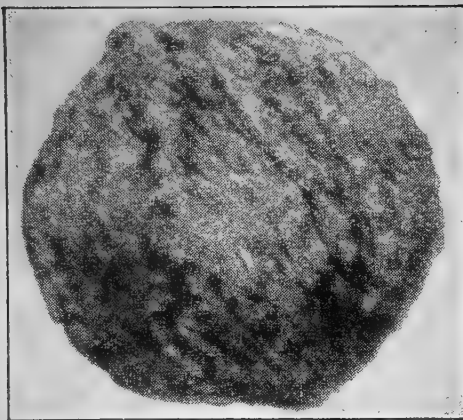
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Pear descriptions, this  
page for Apples.)

## DWARF PEAR-APPLE PRICES

	2 to 3	4 to 6
	each	each
2 to 3 ft. ....	\$2.25	\$2.15
	All Prepaid	



Dwarf Apple Tree 3 Years Old



Thomas Black Walnut

**NOTICE**—Because of quarantines, Walnuts, Pecans and Butternuts cannot be shipped to Arizona, California and Utah. Chestnuts cannot be sent to Calif., Idaho, Oregon or Washington.



Michigan Banana or Paw Paw Fruits

## MICHIGAN BANANA (Paw Paw)

The Michigan Banana or Paw Paw is a small handsome tree about 20 feet in height, with large purple flowers, which are very beautiful and fragrant, and large dark green foliage which makes it a handsome tree for the park or lawn. Produces large yellow fruits which have the flavor of the banana and are very delicious. These fruits also resemble the banana, being somewhat shorter and thicker. The trees are very hardy and can be grown in all sections of the United States. Should be planted in every lawn and garden. Trees 2 to 3 feet high (80c each) (3 for \$2.00), prepaid.

## NORTHERN PERSIMMON

Bright, golden orange fruits of rich, spicy and delicious flavor. At their best after light frosts. The only variety found hardy in the Northern States. Cannot be sent to California. Trees, 2 to 3 feet high (80c each) (3 for \$2.00), prepaid.

## CHINESE DATE

The Chinese Date (Jujube or Zizyphus) is a fruit from the high interior of China, which, we are sure, will prove to be one of the most valuable for our country. It is adapted to a wide range of territory and all kinds of soil. It is quite hardy, the United States Department of Agriculture bulletins reporting that it has withstood temperatures of 22 degrees below zero.

The tree is a heavy and constant bearer and commences to bear at an early age, four-year-old trees having produced 150 pounds of fruit. It blooms very late in the spring, avoiding all danger from spring frosts. The fruit is one to two inches long, and chocolate colored. It is delicious when eaten fresh or cured like dates, and is excellent for preserves and jam. Cooked in a sugar syrup and allowed to dry it becomes a most tasty and palatable confection which we believe will eventually rival the date as a commercial product. Because of its productiveness and its highly nutritious and delicious fruit, capable of being used in many ways, it is sure to be a valuable addition to the orchards and gardens. Only one tree necessary for pollination. Trees 2 to 3 feet high (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.00), prepaid.

## Dwarf Juneberry

A good substitute for the large or swamp Huckleberry or Blueberry which it resembles in appearance. The fruits are larger than the Blueberry and ripen earlier in the season. Fruits are borne in clusters; are reddish purple in color, changing to bluish black when ripe. In flavor it is rich, mild and subacid, and the plants are wonderfully productive. It is perfectly hardy in all climates, and has an advantage over the Blueberry in that it does well on all kinds of soil. In addition to its value as a fruit, it is a highly ornamental bush for the yard, especially in early spring, at which time it is a mass of pretty white blossoms. Plants (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) (6 for \$1.75) (12 for \$3.00), prepaid.

## BLACK WALNUTS

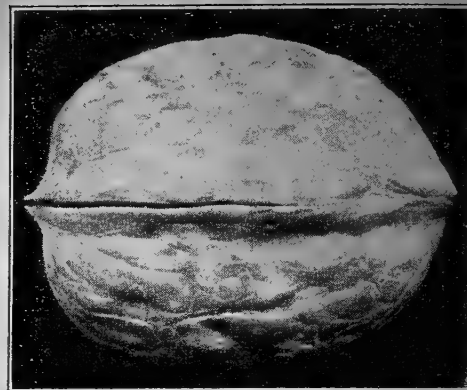
Walnuts are becoming more popular each year with bakers, candy makers and ice cream manufacturers. They will grow in nearly all sections of the United States and thrive with little or no attention.

**THOMAS.** The nut is very large, thin shell, has a very fine flavor and cracks out almost 90% whole halves and quarters. Grows much faster than the seedling trees and usually begins to bear a few nuts the second year after transplanting. 2 to 3-ft. trees (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.25), prepaid.

**NATIVE BLACK WALNUT.** A tree of large size and majestic form growing to a height of 100 feet or more. While the growth of the tree is substantially the same as the Thomas variety the nuts are smaller and have thicker shells. 2 to 3 ft. trees (60c each) (3 for \$1.50), prepaid.

## Michigan Grown English Walnuts

Our English Walnut trees will stand more cold than peaches, and will produce good crops of nuts which are equal to the California product. There is very little labor connected with the harvesting of English Walnuts—simply gather the nuts from the ground when they fall. No shucking—simply pick them up and put them in sacks and they are ready for use. We can recommend our hardy trees for planting in Michigan, New York and other Northern and Eastern States as well as in the South and West. The English Walnut is a fine shade tree. Trees, 2-year, 2 to 3 feet (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.25), prepaid.



English Walnut

## JAPANESE WALNUT

Hardest and most vigorous of the walnuts. It grows easily, assuming a handsome shape without pruning, and has withstood temperatures to 21 degrees below zero. Nuts are considerably larger than common hickory nut, and borne in clusters of 15 to 20. Shell is a little thicker than English Walnut. Kernels are meaty and of rich, delicate flavor. Handsome shade tree. 2 to 3 ft. (\$2.00 each) (3 for \$5.00), prepaid.

## CHINESE SWEET CHESTNUT

This is one of the finest trees you can plant, both for nuts and as an ornamental lawn specimen. They are blight resistant and produce enormous crops. The nuts are larger than those of the American Chestnut and are equally sweet and good. Often bear when trees are only 3 to 4 feet tall. They are not particular as to soil requirements, but respond freely if fed and well cared for. Plant two trees for pollination. Trees, 2 years old, 1½ to 2 feet (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.85), prepaid.

## PECANS

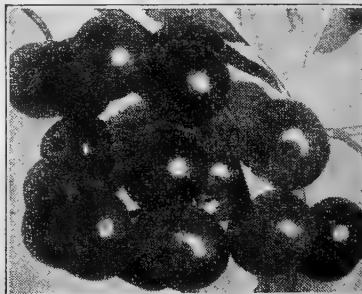
The Pecan is a splendid and beautiful shade tree which will reward you with bushels of delicious nuts. It is an ideal tree for the lawn, does not shed its leaves until late in the fall, and is practically immune to insects. In Michigan it has withstood temperatures well below zero. Nuts of good size and excellent quality. 2-year-old trees, 2 to 3 ft. high (\$1.50 each) (3 for \$3.85), prepaid.

## BUTTERNUT or White Walnut

The nuts are large, long, oily and nutritious. A lofty, spreading tree, valued as a shade tree and for its beautiful wood as well as for its nuts. Trees 2 to 3 ft. high (60c each) (3 for \$1.50), postpaid.



Chinese Date



Dwarf Juneberry

## GROW FIGS in the North

Our Dwarf Fig is particularly adapted to growing in the North, as it does well in either tubs or in the open ground. The root is perfectly hardy. In localities where the tops freeze, it can be cut to the ground, and when it begins growing again it will produce fruit on the new wood.

We recommend open-ground planting wherever the growing season is long enough to grow a new top and mature a crop of fruit. Where the season is too short for this we recommend planting in tubs, so plants can be taken inside following the first few fall frosts and stored for the winter. Plants will winter safely in an ordinary cellar.

Our Dwarf Fig will develop a crop of fruit farther north than any other variety. We recommend tub culture north of Philadelphia. Plants bear the first year they are set out, and abundantly each year thereafter. The fruit is very sweet and delicious, of good size, with flesh that is firm and meaty, and of very fine quality for making preserves, jams, canning, drying, or to eat in the fresh state. 2-yr. Northern field grown stock. (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50), prepaid.



Dwarf Fig Fruits, Reduced in Size





Elberta

## NORTHERN-GROWN PEACHES

Our Peaches are grafted to hardy stock that we know will do well for you. These are the best known varieties.

NOTE—We cannot ship Peaches to Ariz., Calif., Colo., Ida., Ore., or Wash.

**BELLE of GEORGIA.** Very large, white fleshed with red cheek; firm, juicy and excellent flavor. Very hardy and grows with equal success in both North and South. Productive; early; stone semi-free to free.

**ELBERTA.** The most popular peach. Large, yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, highly flavored, rich and sweet; exceedingly prolific, sure bearer and hardy. An ideal mid-season variety. Freestone.

**GOLDEN JUBILEE.** An early, yellow, freestone Peach of the very best quality. Similar to Elberta, but ripens about one month earlier.

**HALE.** Beautiful golden yellow, overlaid with bright carmine; larger than Elberta and ripens a week earlier. Freestone.

**HALE-HAVEN.** A cross between South Haven and Hale. Freestone, strong grower, very hardy and a heavy bearer. Ten days earlier than Elberta.

**ROCHESTER.** Only good sized yellow freestone peach of fine quality ready for market the middle of August in the North. Large, yellow with a most attractive red blush; juicy, delicious and keeps well. Strong grower, good bearer and very hardy.

**SOUTH HAVEN.** Better than average size; prolific, dependable, and unusually hardy; ripens early, juicy, yellow flesh and freestone.

### Burgess' Low Prices

	Each	2 to 3	4 to 6	7 to 12
2 to 3 Ft. ...	\$0.85	\$0.75	\$0.70	\$0.65
4 to 5 Ft. ...	1.20	1.10	1.05	1.00
All Prepaid				

### Bargain PEACH COLLECTION

1 Elberta 1 Golden Jubilee  
1 Hale Haven 1 Belle of Georgia  
2 to 3 Ft. Size. All 4 only \$2.35 Prepaid

### HANSON'S BUSH CHERRY

The Beautiful Shrub That Bears Delicious Fruit

The Bush Cherry is suited to the small home grounds where space is limited. It makes a desirable ornamental shrub to 3 feet high and produces an abundance of black cherry-like fruits that make excellent pies and jams. Cannot be shipped to Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, or Washington. 2-year-old, 12 to 18 inch plants (45c each) (3 for \$1.00) prepaid.

### ORANGE QUINCE

You Must Have It for Preserves and Jellies

Fruit large, bright yellow, of excellent flavor; the best Quince for all sections of the country. Unsurpassed for preserves and jellies. Both fruit and flowers are quite fragrant, and the trees and bloom highly ornamental. Quinces cannot be sent to Colorado. 2-year-old trees, 3 to 4 ft. high at the following prices: (\$1.75 each) (3 for \$4.95) prepaid.



## PEARS

We cannot ship Pears to Colorado.

**BARTLETT**—(See photo). Most popular pear. Large, golden yellow with reddish blush on the sunny side. Flesh tender, melting and juicy. September.

**BUERRE BOSCH.** The highest quality and best flavored pear. Fruits large, with long, thin, tapering necks. Golden russet color. Flesh fine-grained, juicy and melting. September and early October.

**CLAPP FAVORITE.** Resembles Bartlett in size, shape and color. Flesh fine grained and very juicy. August.

**KIEFFER.** Very productive; excellent keeper. While only fair in quality, it is an excellent canner and is in great demand for this purpose. October to December.

**SECKEL.** Small size and rich flavor for pickling and preserving. Sweetest of all pears, juicy, delicious flavor. September and October.

## Northern-Grown CHERRIES

### Burgess' Low Prices

	Each	2 to 3	4 to 6	7 to 12
2 to 3 Ft. ...	\$1.10	\$1.00	\$0.95	\$0.90
4 to 5 Ft. ...	1.65	1.55	1.50	1.45

### SWEET CHERRIES

	Each	2 to 3	4 to 6
2 to 3 Ft. ...	\$1.35	\$1.25	\$1.20
4 to 5 Ft. ...	1.95	1.85	1.80
All Prepaid			

NOTE: We cannot ship cherries to Ariz., or Colo.

### SOUR CHERRIES

**EARLY RICHMOND.** Dark red. Best early sour cherry.

**LARGE MONTMORENCY.** Large red cherry; larger than Early Richmond and fully ten days later. The leading commercial variety.

**ENGLISH MORELLO.** The standard late sour cherry. Very dark red, almost black; excellent quality. A month later than Montmorency.

### ECONOMY CHERRY COLLECTION

1 Montmorency, sour 1 Windsor, sweet  
1 Early Richmond, sour 1 Bing, sweet  
2 to 3 Ft. Size

All 4 only \$3.95 Prepaid

## RUSSIAN MULBERRY

Save Your Cherry Crops by Planting Mulberries for the Birds

The Russian Mulberry is a rapid growing tree that bears an abundant crop of edible fruits resembling blackberries in appearance. They have an excellent flavor and make delicious pies and jams. A few Mulberry trees planted near your cherry trees or berry plants will save you many times their cost as the birds seem to prefer Mulberries to the other fruits. Two or more trees are required for pollination. Size 3 to 4 feet (50c each) (3 for \$1.40) (6 for \$2.10) prepaid.

### HARDY BOSTON NECTARINE

The "Peach-Plum"

The Nectarine is a cross between a peach and plum. It has smooth skin like a plum, pit like a peach, and the size is that of a small peach or large plum. It has the flavor of both plum and peach; rich, delicious, juicy. It is as hardy as the peach and requires the same culture. Nectarines cannot be sent to Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Oregon or Washington.

This is the finest of all hardy Nectarines. Bright yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow and of excellent quality. Tree vigorous and an early bearer. 2-year-old trees, 3 to 4 feet high at the following prices: (\$1.40 each) (3 for \$3.90) prepaid.

### Burgess' Low Prices

	Each	2 to 3	4 to 6
3 to 4 Ft. ...	\$1.00	\$0.90	\$0.85
4 to 5 Ft. ...	1.60	1.50	1.45
All Prepaid			



Montmorency

### QUICK-BEARING CHERRY COLLECTION

1 Montmorency 1 Early Richmond  
1 Black Tartarian  
Big 4 to 5 Ft. Size  
All 3 only \$4.65 Prepaid

### SWEET CHERRIES

**BING.** Few sweet cherries equal Bing in size, attractiveness and quality. Almost black; early; bears abundantly. Recommended planting with another sweet variety for a pollinizer.

**BLACK GIANT.** Attractive in size and color; the crop is late, coming in season just before Lambert which the black fruits resemble in size and color.

**BLACK TARTARIAN.** Purplish-black; flesh tender, juicy and rich. Produces immense crops. Ripens earlier than Bing.

**GOVERNOR WOOD.** Light yellow, marbled with red; very large, juicy, rich and delicious. Extra early.

**LAMBERT.** A very sweet variety and one of the largest. Dark purplish red, turning almost jet black when ripe. Later than Bing.

**NAPOLEON.** Yellow with bright red cheek; very large, meaty and sweet. Very productive; bears young.

**WINDSOR.** Hardy, prolific, late variety; fruit one inch in diameter; nearly black when fully ripe; flesh firm and of high quality.

## HARDY APRICOTS

### Easy to Grow

Northern-grown on hardy plum roots. Plant 2 for better pollination.

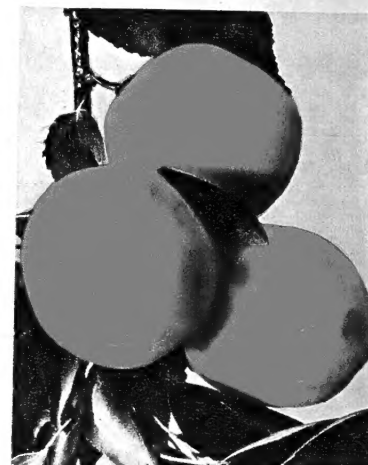
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**HUNGARIAN.** Largest and most delicious. Original tree was imported from Europe in 1914 and still bears luscious pink cheeked fruits in Northern Ohio.

**RUSSIAN.** Hardier than a Peach and fruit ripens a month earlier. Recommended for farthest North.

3 to 4 Ft. Size, 2-Yr. Trees (\$1.40 each, 3 for \$3.75), prepaid.

**APRICOT BARGAIN COLLECTION:** 1 Hungarian, 1 Russian, 3 to 4 Ft. Size. Both for only \$2.50 Prepaid.



Hungarian Apricot

### PLUM-PRUNE BARGAIN

1 Stanley Prune  
1 Abundance Plum  
Big 4 to 5 Ft. Size  
Both only \$2.85. Prepaid.

NOTE—We cannot ship Plums to Ariz., Calif., Colo., Ida., or Wash.

Stanley Prune

## HARDY NORTHERN PLUMS & PRUNES

### Burgess' Low Prices

	Each	2 to 3	4 to 6
3 to 4 Ft. ...	\$1.00	\$0.90	\$0.85
4 to 5 Ft. ...	1.60	1.50	1.45
All Prepaid			

**ABUNDANCE.** Large, red, sweet, very juicy, tender and melting. Hardy and productive. Ripens in August.

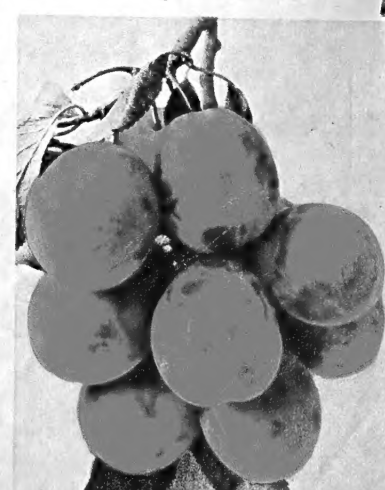
**BRADSHAW.** Fruits large, dark reddish purple. Flesh yellow and sweet. Trees vigorous and productive. Ripens in August.

**BURBANK.** Skin dark red over a yellow ground; juicy, sweet. Good shipper; ripens in late August, a week later than Abundance. Large.

**FELLENBURG.** A widely known desert prune, but good for market and preserving, too. Firm, sweet flesh. Also known as Italian.

**STANLEY PRUNE.** Large, dark blue, freestone and juicy. The flesh is firm, fine grained sweet and of exceptionally fine quality and flavor. We consider Stanley to be the best prune ever introduced for the North.

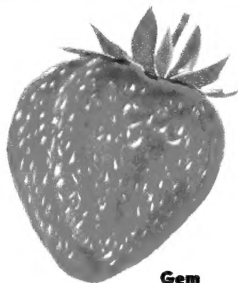
**YELLOW EGG.** Extremely large yellow fruit, with firm, sweet, rather juicy flesh. Fine quality. Ripens in late August.



# EVERBEARERS

**STREAMLINER**—Modern as the name suggests, the new Streamliner gives you practically everything that can be desired in a Strawberry. The jumbo-sized berries are glossy red, unusually sweet and of delicious flavor. The first heavy crop comes at the regular spring Strawberry season, begins again in August and continues right up until freezing weather.

**GEM**—A dependable everbearer for market growers and a home garden stand-by. Berries slightly flat but regular in shape, light brilliant red in color, rather tart in flavor and do not turn dark when overripe. Plants very hardy, vigorous and productive, making many runner plants.



Gem

**RED RICH**—Sensational new HYBRID from Wayzata and Fairfax. All luscious eating qualities of Wayzata (very sweet), plus the firm dark red qualities of Fairfax. Strongest growing of all—disease resistant. This is the new Strawberry you've read so much about.

**SUPERFECTION**—Here is a new strawberry

that every grower will thrill to. It has a hardy ruggedness that makes it stand up under the worst conditions. Perfect for home garden. Firm, juicy, richly flavored berries ripen uniformly and keep well. Plants set this spring will bear in August and twice the next year. Its long bearing season makes it a Big Yields. Easy to grow; requires no special care.

**MASTODON**—A great money maker, as it will produce an enormous crop of big berries during the summer and fall months. Our thrifty plants set in the spring will produce a crop of berries in 90 days and continue through summer and fall. 18 or 20 berries will often fill a quart box. They are rich glossy red, of firm and solid texture, and delicious in flavor.

## Bargain!

A bargain collection that will give you berries from EARLIEST spring right through the Fall bearing season.

### POPULAR BERRY COLLECTION

50 Senator Dunlap, spring fruiting.

25 Premier, spring fruiting.

25 Gem, everbearers.

All 100 Plants only \$3.65, Prepaid

## EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY COLLECTION

For those who want fresh Strawberries throughout the season.

25—Mastodon

25—Streamliner

25—Superfection

25—Gem

All 100 plants only \$5.70 Prepaid

Streamliner

## Giant Cultivated BLUEBERRIES

The cultivated forms of Blueberries are easy to grow in acid soil and practically free from disease and insect pests. Neutral soils can be made acid by the application of peat. As more than one plant is required for pollination we recommend that you buy at least 2 plants. With each order we furnish complete cultural directions. There are many varieties to select from but the three offered here are all of large size, excellent quality and heavy bearers. They grow 4 to 5 feet high and differ primarily in their ripening season.

### Three Best Varieties

RUBEL—Early

PEMBERTON—Midseason

BURLINGTON—Late

	Per 2	Per 4	Per 8
1 Year .....	\$1.00	\$1.75	\$3.25
2 Year .....	1.95	3.50	6.45
3 year (bearing age)	2.95	5.25	8.95

## BLUEBERRY COLLECTION

1 each of Rubel, Pemberton and Burlington  
—2 Yr.—only \$2.70 prepaid.

## BOYSENBERRY

The Boysenberry is just as easily grown as Blackberries or Dewberries, and is much more productive. The fruit is larger and of better quality. Many of the rich, luscious wine-colored berries measure 2 to 2½ inches in length. Reports have been received of yields of nearly double that of Blackberries on the same farm. No

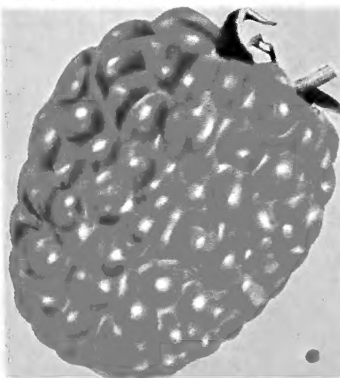
garden complete without a few of these plants. See prices on opposite page.



## DEWBERRY

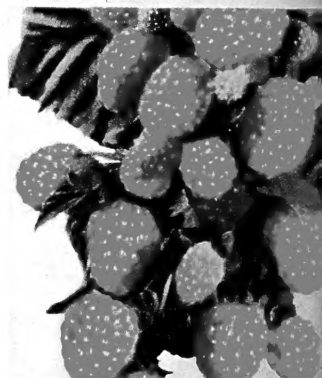
Lucretia Dewberries ripen a week or ten days ahead of common blackberries. The large berries are incomparably better than any blackberry grown; of unequalled excellence; sweet and luscious throughout, and of bright glossy black color. Its trailing habit renders it

less liable to winterkill. Lucretia may be propagated from the tips; like black raspberries. It does not spread or sucker.



Latham Red Raspberry

Cumberland



Indian Summer

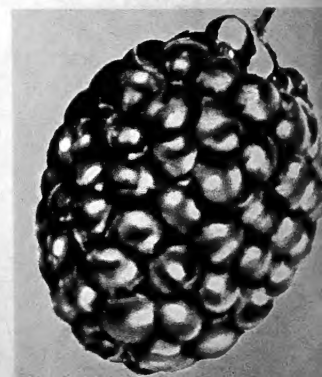
Sodus Purple Raspberry

## BLACKBERRY

**ELDORADO.** Berries large in size, very sweet, and of delicious flavor and quality. One of the hardest in cultivation; has never been known to winterkill. Very productive.

**EBONY KING.** A brand new blackberry. It is 10 days earlier than Eldorado, and completely safe from sterility. Large size, very black and sweet berries. Hardy and easy to grow.

62 Burgess Seed & Plant Co.



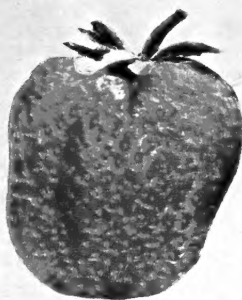


# JUNE FRUITING

**AMBROSIA**—One of the largest berries ever produced. Sparkling, bright red and deliciously sweet. Ripens after other varieties are gone, making an ideal late market variety. The fruit is borne on long stems held well off the ground. An exceptionally fine berry and highly recommended.

**FAIRFAX**— Experienced Strawberry growers who have tested Fairfax have placed it at the very top of the list for quality. It is extra early having the same bearing season as Premier, but is a much heavier bearer. The early blooms do not show serious frost damage, and the fruiting season extends over a long period. Flavor rich and sweet, bright red in color. Holds up well as a market variety and stands long-distance shipping.

**ROBINSON**—A mid-season variety that originated in Michigan and is probably the most valuable and outstanding introduc-



Senator Dunlap

tion in recent years. The enormous berries are the largest we have ever seen. They are firm, of good color and excellent flavor. An ideal home garden variety and an outstanding money maker for the market grower.

**PREMIER**—A valuable extra early Strawberry. A large berry of uniform shape and size, excellent quality, rich color and highly resistant to frost. These qualities make Premier a profitable market variety.

**SENATOR DUNLAP**—The old standby. A mid-season variety that grows on all types of soil and in all climates. A good producer and a fine berry.



Premier

## PREPAID STRAWBERRY PLANT PRICES

These Prices Good Both Spring and Fall

	25	50	100	250	500
AMBROSIA	\$1.75	\$2.75	\$3.85	\$6.50	\$11.50
FAIRFAX	1.60	2.40	3.55	5.85	9.75
GEM	2.10	3.15	5.35	10.65	16.95
MASTODON	2.10	3.15	5.35	10.65	16.95
PREMIER	1.70	2.50	3.65	6.00	10.45
RED RICH	5.00	8.50	15.00	(12 for \$2.95)	
ROBINSON	1.65	2.45	3.60	5.95	9.95
SENATOR DUNLAP	1.50	2.10	3.15	5.50	8.95
STREAMLINER	2.35	3.95	5.90	11.50	18.00
SUPERFECTION	2.35	3.95	5.90	11.50	18.00

As all plants are packed 25 to the bundle, please order in multiples of 25 only, as we do not break bundles. We cannot ship Strawberry plants into California.

All varieties of Strawberries listed in this catalog are perfect flowering and do not require other varieties for cross-pollination.

Set Strawberries 18 inches apart in rows 3 ft. apart; 9,700 per acre.

Commercial Growers write for prices on larger quantities.

## How to Grow More and Bigger Berries

Use famous **BERRY-SET**, the hormone spray that promotes bigger, more luscious berries, and makes plants bear **LONGER**. Simple and easy to use. Amazing results. 1 oz. makes 4 gallons. (1 oz. 50c) (3 oz. \$1.00) prepaid.

## Everbearing Runnerless Strawberries from Seed

**IMPROVED RED BARON SOLEMACHER**—This wonderful novelty does not have runners, flowers within eight weeks after sowing, and produces great quantities of fruit throughout the season. Superior quality, pleasing aroma, and rich, wild-Strawberry flavor. Plant seed this spring, and harvest a crop this coming summer and fall. Hardy everywhere. (Pkt., 35c.) (Jumbo pkt., 90c)

# GRAPEVINES

## CONCORD—JUICE and WINE GRAPE

Being the standard commercial blue Grape of the Northern States, Concord requires no description. The fruit is large, blue-black and of very fine quality. Ripens the middle of September in Michigan. Healthy, vigorous and very productive. A good table Grape, but grown primarily for juice and jellies.

**CATAWBA**. Purplish red, bunch large, berries of medium size; rich vinous flavor, of best quality for table and wine. Late, ripens here the last of September. The best keeper, lasting until March or later.

**FREDONIA**. The best extra early black grape, ripens two weeks ahead of Worden. Vigorous, productive and extra hardy. Large bunch and berry. Fruit firm; long lasting qualities.

**NIAGARA**. The leading white Grape. Ranks with Concord in vigor and productiveness and ripens at the same time. Bunch and berry large and handsome. Tender, sweet, juicy and excellent flavor.

**PORTLAND**. The earliest grape we have ever found. Large white grapes, very sweet and juicy. A strong grower and very hardy.

**WORDEN**. Larger berries and bunches than Concord, sweeter, better quality and ripens a week earlier. Fine for the local market and the home garden, but not a good shipper on account of its thin skin.

## GOLDEN MUSCAT

(See color photo on opposite page.) After years of plant breeding, scientists have succeeded in crossing the white California Muscat Grape with our hardy northern varieties and have given us Golden Muscat. The berries are golden yellow in color, large and meaty, with very few seeds, which separate easily from the pulp. The bunches are large and heavy. Excellent quality and fine flavor.

## Seedless Concord

After years of experimentation and cross-breeding a perfectly hardy seedless Grape has been developed. The first of a new race of Grapes that should eventually replace the common large seeded varieties for table use. It is the Concord type, but slightly smaller, blue black in color, and possesses the same fine flavor found in the Concord Grape.

## POSTPAID PRICES FOR GRAPEVINES

Note: We cannot ship grapevines to Ariz., Ore., or Wash.

	1	3	6	12	25	100
Catawba	\$0.45	\$1.15	\$2.00	\$3.65	\$6.75	\$18.00
Concord	.35	.90	1.65	2.95	5.65	15.00
Delaware	.45	1.15	2.00	3.65	6.75	18.00
Fredonia	.35	.90	1.65	2.95	5.65	15.00
Golden Muscat	.80	2.00	3.60	6.70	12.30	34.00
Niagara	.40	1.00	1.80	3.35	6.15	17.00
Portland	.50	1.25	2.30	4.25	8.15	22.00
Seedless Concord	1.00	2.50	4.60	8.50	16.30	44.00
Worden	.50	1.25	2.30	4.25	8.15	22.00

## DELAWARE →

**DELAWARE** is a small red Grape. No American Grape has more delicate flavor or more pleasing aroma. Ripens with Concord. Brings from 50 to 100 per cent more on the market than other varieties. Hardy; vigorous; succeeds both North and South.

## Bearing Age Grapevines

These are 3 yr. plants that will take hold immediately for you. We offer them in the following varieties:

Concord  
Catawba  
Niagara

Prices: (\$1.00 each) (3 for \$2.50) prepaid.

Red,  
White and Blue  
GRAPE  
COLLECTION  
—Catawba, red  
—Niagara, white  
—Concord, blue  
All 3 only 98c

# RASPBERRIES

## ← Four Best of All

**CUMBERLAND (Black)**. The largest and most productive black raspberry. Ripens medium-early and continues throughout the raspberry season. Very hardy, and the most profitable market sort.

**INDIAN SUMMER (Everbearing Red)**. Decidedly superior to any other everbearing Red Raspberry. The berries are exceptionally large, dark red and of unsurpassed quality. Plants produce a heavy summer crop that ripens with the standard varieties of Red Raspberries. The autumn crop starts in early September and continues until severe frost. Plants very hardy, vigorous, of medium height and bear heavy crops. An exceptionally fine berry and a money-maker.

**LATHAM (Red)**. Conceded to be the best main-crop red raspberry. It has more points of merit and has come into general planting more rapidly than any other raspberry ever introduced. It is vigorous in growth; withstands the winters of Canada without covering; and exceptionally free from mosaic and other diseases. The large berries, some running over an inch in diameter, and the deep red color make it most attractive, and it is the most productive variety grown.

**SODUS (Purple)**. This is one of the finest berries ever offered. It is a cross between a black raspberry and red raspberry, and possesses all the qualities of each. The berries are of large size; purple in color; seeds small and deeply imbedded in a rich, juicy pulp. They do not crumble when picked, are good shippers and good keepers, and are better for canning and pies than either red or black raspberries. The habit of growth is like that of the black raspberry, so does not sucker or spread from the root. The canes are model growers; vigorous and healthy. Enormously productive, and is unexcelled in flavor either fresh, canned, or in pies.

## POSTPAID PRICES FOR BERRY PLANTS

Per 5 Per 10 Per 25 Per 50 Per 100

BLACKBERRY, Eldorado	\$0.80	\$1.50	\$2.85	\$5.45	\$10.00
BLACKBERRY, Ebony King	1.95	3.70	7.25	13.65	25.00
BOYSENBERRY	.95	1.80	3.45	6.45	12.00
DEWBERRY, Lucretia	.90	1.70	3.25	6.25	11.50
RASPBERRY, Cumberland	.75	1.35	2.45	4.65	9.00
RASPBERRY, Latham	.80	1.50	2.85	5.45	10.00
RASPBERRY, Indian Summer	1.00	1.90	3.60	6.85	13.00
RASPBERRY, Sodus	1.00	1.90	3.60	6.85	13.00

## BERRY PATCH BARGAIN

- 3 Latham Red Raspberries
- 3 Cumberland Black Raspberries
- 3 Boysenberries
- 3 Eldorado Blackberries

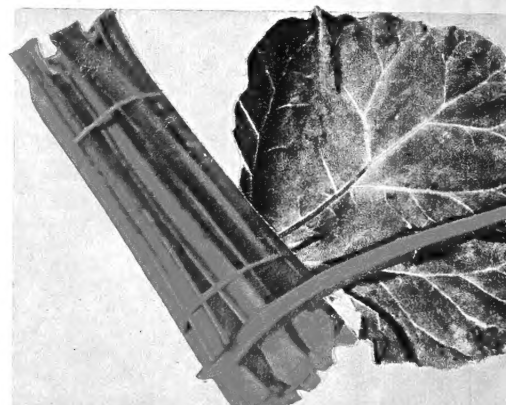
All 12 Berry Plants only \$1.85 prepaid

## Bearing Age Raspberry Plants

We are able to offer, at very little additional cost, 2-year-old Raspberry plants which will bear a good crop of fruit the same season they are set out. They have been transplanted and grown in the nursery one year longer.

**2-Year-Old LATHAM RASPBERRIES:** (5 for \$1.50) (10 for \$2.75) (25 for \$5.25) (50 for \$9.95) (100 for \$18.00).

**2-Year-Old CUMBERLAND RASPBERRIES:** (5 for \$1.50) (10 for \$2.75) (25 for \$5.25) (50 for \$9.95) (100 for \$18.00).



## CANADA RED RHUBARB

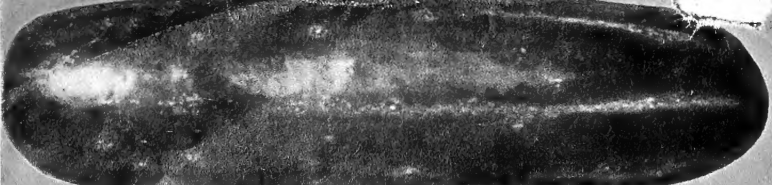
Extremely tender and intensely red—even the inside of the stalk is red clear through. When cooked or canned it is as red as strawberry sauce. Mild and delicious, requiring a minimum quantity of sugar. Prices of roots: (65c each) (3 for \$1.75) (6 for \$3.25) (12 for \$6.00) prepaid.

## VICTORIA RHUBARB

Prices of 1 year old roots: (3 for 50c) (6 for 90c) (12 for \$1.75) prepaid.

SEED: (Pkt. 10¢) (oz. 35c) (¼ lb. \$1.00) (lb. \$3.00) prepaid.





## "Early Surecrop" HYBRID

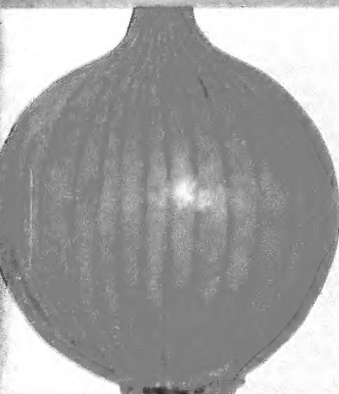
The Early and Late Cucumber

Here at last is an all-purpose Cuke that comes into bearing early, stays on in perfect condition very late, and is good for pickling and slicing. It is the best new cucumber in over a decade and the only one ever to get an All-America Award.

### Smooth—Crisp—Delicious

Its 8", deep green, blunt-ended fruits have a very small seed cavity. It is smooth, crisp and deliciously fresh for longer than others. Resistant to mosaic and downy mildew, too, and because of its long-season bearing, it is a tremendous producer. All in all, you just can't beat it. (Pkt. of 50 seeds 25c) (150 seeds 60c) (½ oz. \$2.00) (oz. \$3.80).

## EARLY YELLOW GLOBE "HYBRID"



### The Double-Vigor Onion

The amazing vigor of hybridization has been fixed into this new early onion, resulting in more uniform crops and a tremendous increase in yield. A wonderful addition to home gardening, since it will keep longer, be more productive, yield earlier, and thrive under a wide range of climate. If you were to plant just one onion, this should be it. (Pkt. 25c) (½ oz. 65c) (oz. \$1.20).

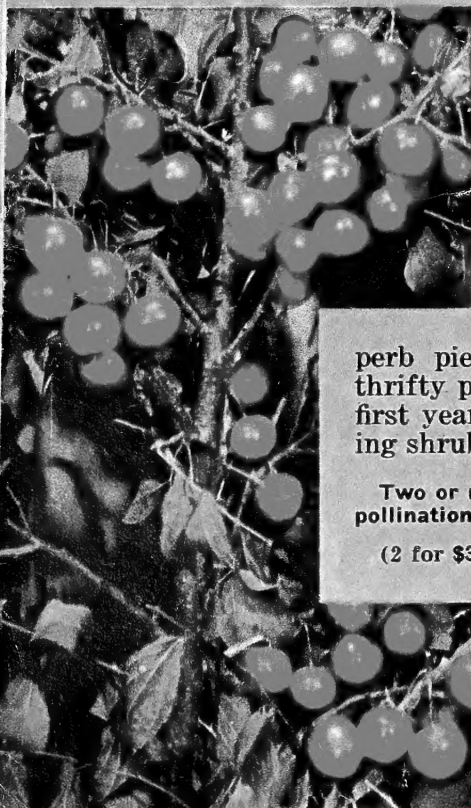
Michigan Grown

## ENGLISH WALNUT

Our English Walnut trees will stand more cold than peaches, and will produce good crops of nuts which are equal to the California product. There is very little labor connected with harvesting—simply gather nuts from the ground when they fall. No shucking—simply pick them up and they are ready for use. We can recommend our hardy trees for planting in Michigan, New York and other Northern States as well as South and West. A fine shade tree. 2-yr. Trees. 2 Ft. (\$2.50 each) (3 for \$6.25) prepaid.



## Hybrid KOREAN BUSH CHERRIES



### "Fruit and Beauty"

Now all can have cherries in the smallest of gardens. This hardy bush grows to only 3½ ft. and will bear a heavy crop of full-sized quality fruit early in August. Taste similar to Montmorency and makes superb pies and sauces. Large, thrifty plants that will bear the first year. Makes lovely flowering shrub.

Two or more plants are required for pollination.

(2 for \$3.50) (3 for \$4.80) prepaid.



## New! GIANT "Hybrid" ZINNIA

This new GIANT combines all the loveliest colors in Zinnias with tremendous size, making it the outstanding flower of its kind. There is just nothing else like it, and no annual flower garden could possibly be complete without it. All the colors with fluffy and ruffled—bigger than dahlia-flowered—blooms borne on 3' stems, which are truly a sensation. (Pkt. 25c) (Jumbo Pkt. 60c).

### House Plants for

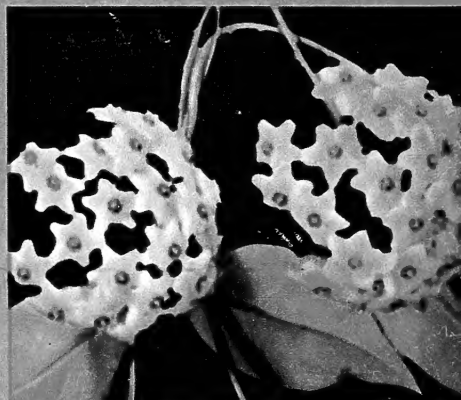
## Your INDOOR GARDEN

Wax Plants and Pelargoniums should be in every home.

### WAX PLANT ➔

#### The Fragrant Climber

The true Wax Plant (Hoya Carnosa) is an easily grown climbing house plant suitable for window gardens and trellis work. Umbels of fragrant, waxy-white flowers with pink centers, produced in succession. The shining, succulent, dark green foliage makes it an interesting plant even when not in bloom. (60c each) 2 for \$1.00).



### PELARGONIUMS ➔

#### Martha Washington Geraniums

Aristocrats of the Geranium family with velvety flowers 2 to 4" across.

**EASTER GREETING**—Bright red with a large black blotch. Remarkable for long blooming period.

**EDITH NORTH**—Salmon-pink, shaded deeper on upper petals, with blotches of dark brown.

**MARIE VOGEL**—Red, shaded with salmon. Very large flowers, slightly waved.

PRICES: (85c each) (2 for \$1.60).

**PELARGONIUM COLLECTION:** 1 each of 3 above only \$2.25.

